MINUTES.

OF THE

SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE,

FOR THE YEAR 1866.

Minutes of the South Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, held at Marion, S. C., beginning December 19th 1866, and closing December 23rd 1866.

Bishop WILLIAM M. WIGHTMAN, *President.*

F. ASBURY MOOD, *Secretary*

One hundred and twelve members were present. The Sessions were opened daily with reading the Scriptures, singing and Prayer. The business was conducted in harmony, and was dispatched promptly. The entire business of the Conference was completed by Saturday night. On Sunday morning the Deacons were ordained and the Elders in the afternoon, by Bishop Wightman. On Sunday night the services memorial of the five ministers who had died during the year, were conducted by Whitfoord Smith, after which the Bishop addressed the Conference, and announced the appointments for the ensuing year. The Conference and congregation united in singing the Doxology, and were dismissed with the Benediction from the Bishop.

Question 1. *Who are admitted on Trial?*—Joseph R Griffith, Reuben L Duffie, Robert M Harrison, Robert Harper, John P Morris.

Question 2. *Who remain on Trial?*—Micaijah C Davis, John B Platt, James C Crisp.

Question 3. *Who are admitted into Full Connexion?*—John Attaway, Samuel Lander.

Question 4. *Who are re-admitted?*—None.

Question 5. *Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?*—None.

Questions 6. *Who are the Deacons of one Year?*—Thomas A Boone, John R Little, George F. Round, Christopher Thomason, J Emory Watson, A J Stafford.

Question 7. *What Travelling Preachers are elected and ordained Deacons?* Samuel Lander.

Question 8. *What Local Preachers are elected and ordained Deacons?*—Charles Felder, G W Byrd, Asbury M'Rush, Joseph K Tucker, James M Baker.

Question 9. *What Travelling Preachers are elected and ordained Elders?*—Samuel A Webber, R C Oliver, John C Hartsell, Richard R Dagnall, George H Wells, James P DePass.

Question 10. *What Local Preachers are elected and ordained Elders?*—William Thomas.

Question 11. *Who have located this year?*—John L Stoudemire, Israel P Hughes, Alex W Moore, Jas H Tart.

Question 12. *Who are Supernumerary?*—Thomas Mitchell, S B Jones, A L Smith, F M Morgan, J S Nelson, W Smith, L A Johnson, A H Lester, T W Munnerlyn, J M Carlisle, Allan McCorquodale, R B Tarrant, C B Betts, J W Abernathy.

Question 13. *Who are Superanuated?*—W Crook, D Derrick, B English, A M Foster, H Spain, N Talley, J W Townsend, W C Patterson, Alex W Walker.

Question 14. *What Preachers have died during the year?*

Cornelious McLeod, died at his residence in Richland district, on the 9th of April 1866. In the death of this good man, the church of which he was a minister, has sustained a great loss. It is due to the memory of the deceased, and to the church in which he so long labored with zeal and faithfulness, that a brief sketch of his life and labors should be given. He was not blessed in youth with advantages necessary to secure a good education. Having attended school but a few weeks in his life, he succeeded, nevertheless, by hard study, and close application to large acquirements; without the assistance of an instructor, he acquired a knowledge of several of the ancient, and modern languages. At the time of his death he was engaged in translating a book of sermons from the French. Devoted to books, very industrious, and having a retentive memory, he was pronounced by capable judges, one of the best read men of his age.

But our brother professed that which was far more important than human learning, a sanctified heart. When but a boy he joined the church, and at the early age of sixteen was licensed to exhort. Entering the conference in 1837, he was ordained deacon in 1839, and elder in 1841. For nearly thirty years he was a faithful and zealous laborer in his master vineyard, through heat and cold, over mountains, and in swamps, in the city and in the country to the learned and the unlearned, he preached Jesus and the resurrection. His last appointment was to the Richland Fork mission, on which he labored acceptably until stricken down by disease, and when rendered unfit for the active duties of his calling, he retired to his study to prepare for greater usefulness in the event of his recovery. He was a very successful laborer, and was much beloved by those for whom he labored. Remarkably amiable, he won without effort the affections of those with whom he was associated, And now, though he has passed away, he lives, where all ministers should desire to live, in the hearts of his people.

Doubtful as to the time of his natural birth he was very certain that on the 15th, July 1832, Cornelius McLeod, was born of God.

Much of his success in the ministry, may be attributed to his sound christian experience. He could say with St. Paul, that he knew the gospel to be

the power of God, unto Salvation, to every one that believeth. Through life he took the word of God, as the man of his counsel.

In preparing for the great work of the ministry, he seemed to have followed closely the instructions of Paul to Timothy, and studied to show himself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth, and when the time of his departure was at hand could say with the former, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith. During a long and painful illness, which he bore with Christian fortitude and patience, he testified that the grace which he had so often recommended to others was sufficient for him. He did not fear death's approach, but leaning, by faith, upon the arm of his Saviour, passed safely over the dark waters to the happy abode of the blessed.

John Wesley Miller, was born in the city of Charleston, October, 27th, 1829; and died in the village of Darlington, S. C. June 20th, 1866.

Our beloved brother was remarkable through life for his ardent piety, his love of purity, and devotion to principal. He was blameless, and harmless, a son of God, without rebuke from early childhood until the hour of his dismission from the trials and cares of earth. One of his bretheren in the ministry, who was his playmate in childhood, his companion in college, and his colleague in conference, says of him. "I never heard him utter a word, I never saw him do an act, that was unchristian or improper. When a little boy he was so good and gentle that he seemed to be a wanderer from a better world seeking for his home. In college his seriousness, his conscientiousness, his manly avowal of christian principles, his fondness for things spiritual and themes divine, subjected him to no small amount of prosecution, which he bore with the meekness of a true disciple of the Lamb of God, continuing stedfast and immoveable."

Our deceased brother entered the ministry in 1850, and was licentiate, deacon, and elder, on stations, circuits, missions and in the Army as chaplain of hospitals, always the same faithful, devoted servant of the Saviour, ever an uncompromising champion of the Cross. He sought occasions to work and speak and think of Christ. Duty was Wesley Miller's delight labor his refreshment. Large hearted, progressive and hopeful, he rejoiced to see sings of church extension and cordially favored measures looking to the more extensive diffusion of Wesleyan Thoeology, which he believed to be Christianity in earnest, the spirit of Jesus in the souls of believers. Feeling the importance of mental culture, he was an active, deeply, interested member of literary societies, a warm friend of our schools and colleges. As a teacher our brother spared no pains to instruct his pupils striving by various expedients and with unwearied patience to allure the young to the fountains of knowledge. An admirable Sunday School Superintendent, his lectures to the scholars were adapted to their capacities and fed the Lords lambs. As a preacher he was kind, earnest, practical, simple and loving. The preciousness of Jesus to believers was his favorite theme. His highest ambition was to preach him to all and cry in death, behold the Lamb.

Rev. John David Weaver Crook, was born in Orangeburg District, So. Ca. Oct. 16th, 1820, and died May 1st, 1866. He embraced religion and joined the M. E. Church when about 22 years of age, and subsequently he received license from the Q. Conference of the Cypress Circuit. He exercised his office for several years as a local preacher to the satisfaction and profit of his hearers and at the close of the year 1851, he was admitted on trial in the S. C. Conference by the unanimous vote of that body. He labored faithfully and studied diligently, and was ordained deacon and elder respectively as soon as he become eligible in 1852, and 1853; he served the Cooper River, Ct. in '54, '55, '56, '57, '58, and '59, Savannah River Mission; in '60, and '61, Walterboro Circuit, in '62, and '63, Providence Circuit; in '64, Black-swamp Circuit; in 1865, he was appointed to St. Bartholomews Ct. But on the advance of the Federal Army, in Jan., he left, and returned to his native district for refuge where he spent the remaining part of the year in teaching school and preaching at the surrounding churches as opportunity offered. He was sent the present year to Eastern Orange Circuit, where he arrived in good time and entered upon his work faithfully and zealously, and was well received by the people. About two weeks before his death, he was attacked with a severe stroke of Paralysis, and was almost totally unconcious throughout his illness. Whenever, however, there was a period of partial conciousness, he would give evidence of his resignation to the will of his Master, and his readiness to depart; and having given some directions in reference to his burial and the education of his children, he calmly fell asleep.

Rev. William Abney McSwain was born in Montgomery, now Stanley Co., N. C., Nov. 5th, 1814; was converted at Center Camp Ground, in Center, now Albemarle Circuit, South Carolina Conference, Sept. 28th, 1831; joined the Methodist Church, in October following, at New Hope; was licensed to preach May 21st, 1836, at Mt. Carmel, in the same circuit, and was admitted on trial in the South Carolina Conference during the session which closed the ecclesiastical year of 1838.

He labored as Junior Preacher in 1839, on Montgomery, in 1840 on Rockinghom Circuit, was ordained Deacon in Camden at the ensuing session of the Annual Conference. He was in charge of appointments henceforward to the end of his laborious life. In 1865 he labored on Laurens Circuit. At the last session of the Conference he was re-appointed to Laurens Circuit. Not having sufficiently recovered from physical affliction, he failed to attend the last session of the Conference when he was re-appointed to Laurens Circuit. This is the only time during a membership of twenty-seven years when he did not answer at roll-call the first day of each session.

Though the Conference was deprived of his cheering presence and helping counsel and labors, he continued to labor on his charge, connecting by preaching, the last with the present Conference year. The intelligence of his reappointment found him already at work. In his habitual punctuality and characteristic cheerfulness he began the labors of the year with even more than ordinary zeal and hope.

On November 26th—the Sabbath day—he was travelling to an appointment with his colleague, whose horse became so frightened at the running of a cow at the road side as to induce Brother McSwain to leap from his buggy for safety. Not clearing the buggy successfully, he fell with his weight mainly on one leg, which was broken just above the ankle. By early aid the limb was set, and he was carried to his home at the parsonage, in Laurensville, the next day. His suffering was intense. The skill of physicians and attention of friends were unavailing; typhoid diarrhœa supervened, and 15 minutes after 1 o'clock, January 1st, 1866, he died "in great peace" and strong hope. Repeatedly, and with emphesis, he declared he had not served God in vain, and in anticipation of the saints' rest, so long the object of hope, but now nearly seen, he employed some of his last moments and waning strength in announcing, though in low accents, the character of the state upon which he was entering; "glory, glory," was his pass-word as he crossed the river Jordan. He has entered into rest,

Beides the trustworthiness indicated in his appointments, he served as a delegate to the last two session of the General Conference, and was elected to that which was to meet in 1862, and was at the time of his death President of the Sunday School Society of the So. Ca. Conference.

Few men, with similar disadvantages, ever attained that measure of ability, degree of eminence, and width of popularity which constituted that honor which was so cheerfully and universally awarded by the church and world to this-self made man. Ambitious and assiduous, his gifted and vigorous mind, early and late, eagerly sought to know "the wisdom and reason of things." In the itienrant *university*, in his voluminous and varied reading, and in his critical observation, he learned much where others would not have seen the lesson. His excellent common sense and acquaintance with human nature enabled him, in his sagacity, to pass smoothly among men and to dispose wisely of things. He could do these as well as he could read books and preach sermons.

Possessed of great versatility of genius, gifted with rare social qualities and conversational powers, and blessed a with singular descriptive faculty, he was well qualified, from his vast fund of general information, to give life, interest and edification to the fireside or social circle. His flexible and sausive mind could, without any apparent effort, so adjust itself to any society, condition, or subject, as to make it manifest that he and the company were, at home. His appearance in the pulpit, his engaging address, flow of language, and tone of voice, and ease and naturalness of manner—his own interest in the subject, with the general persuasiveness of his style, gave to his sermons which evinced much thought and research, a popularity which was only equalled by the great popularity of the preacher himself. He was a popular divine with all sects of christians and all classes of people.

In his great desire to know the *reason* of things, to understand the relations and dependencies of the phenomena of matter and mind, he cultivated, espe-

cially in the latter years of his ministry, the metaphysical propension of his mind. Feeling called mainly to *enlighten*, it was his delight to show the reason for, and the wisdom in, the facts and laws of mind and matter, and lead the audience to preceive the grand agreement in the works, providence and law of God, the Creator. But he was none the less able in preaching Christ and him crucified. The same ability and learning were manifest in the "fountains" of the christian's hope, the necessity of a revelation, the divinity, death, resurrection and exaltation of Christ.

And according to his own oft-uttered sentiment to me, for what he was and what he did, and what he hoped to be, and have and do in the future of time and eternity, he was wholly indebted to God and his church.

He left, with four children, a devoted, sincere christian wife, who throughout his ministerial life, shared without complaining the labors and sacrifices of the itinerant life. The mother and children are all in the Methodist Church and more than others can they feel the heavy loss sustained in the death of the devoted and affectionate husband and father. A pious and useful citizen, a hard christian student, an able minister, of the gospel, and by God's gifts and grace a self made, a great and good man has fallen. Trully, he fell at his post.

"The voice at midnight came.
He started up to hear;
A mortal arrow pierced his frame;
He fell—but felt no fear.

Soldier of Christ, well done!
Praise be thy new employ;
And while eternal ages run,
Rest in thy Saviour's joy."

Rev. Hilliard Crawford Parsons, of the South Carolina Conference, died of consumption, in Wadesboro', N. C., January 29th, 1866.

He was born in Sumter District, Feb. 28 1824, and joined the South Carolina Conference January, 1847.

At the last Conference held in Columbia, in 1860, he took a supernumerary relation, which he sustained until his death. He was one of the children of the church—his father having been one of the ministers—and in the absence of positive information, we take it for granted that his mother was one of her members. Yielding to the gracious influences which were brought to bear upon him, he remembered his Creator in the days of his youth, and consecrated himself to his service. Here commenced a christian life, which was distinguished for devotion to the church, and arduous duties performed in her service; the power of pulpit ministrations, and the success with which they were crowned; the intensity of physical sufferings, and the patience with which they were borne. But this life was not more remarkable for the devotion, suffering, efforts, and achievements, which marked its progress, than for the grandeur of its peaceful and triumphant close. He loved the church of his choice. He admired her government, usages and doctrines. There was no feature of this Methodistic economy which he admired more than the itinerancy. Could he have followed the inclinations of his own heart he would have fallen in the itinerant ranks. But that fatal disease seized

him, and for years he gradually declined, until he saw the necessity of changing his relation, and taking a field less extensive and less exacting in its claims. In this new field he watched the interests intrusted to his guardianship, and "wielded a two edged blade, of heavenly temper keen," until his Captain bade him "quit the sword and take the crown." When in health, his cheerfulness, amiability, affable manners, and superior conversational powers, combined to make him an ornament in the social circle, while his intelligence, gentlemanly deportment, and exalted christian virtues made him an influential and useful member of the community in which he lived. Endowed with a vigorous intellect, and indefatigable energy, and having trained his mind to habits of patient thought, and this intellect, energy and thought having been quickened, sanctified and directed by Divine grace, it is not remarkable that his ministry was characterized by ability and success. Those who had the pleasure of hearing him in his best days, can bear testimony to his ability, and the scores who have been converted under his ministry, a number of whom are members of this Conference, are the living witnesses of his success. His favorite pulpit themes were the cardinal doctrines of the New Testament as taught by his church. He seemed to have a clear conception of these truths, and before the great congregation, he defended them with ability and urged them with singular pathos and power. Though an able defender of the faith, his sermons did not lack energy, animation and fire, elegance of expression and delivery, the absence of which is sometimes a peculiarity with doctrinal preachers. He happily united the qualities of the able debater and the attractive orator. His propositions were clearly stated, and sustained by the conclusive reasoning of the one, and sufficiently adorned by the embellishments of the other. This rare combination rendered him one of the most popular preachers in the Conference of which he was a member. He possessed the rare gift of pleasing the different classes. The unthinking throng was charmed with his apposite language and striking illustration; the more thoughtful were convinced by his cogent reasoning, and the truly devout were edified by the pure word delivered "in demonstration of the spirit and with power." The leading characteristics of his preaching were elegance, strength and unction. His sermons were remarkable for the uniformity of their excellence. Nearly every effort was a success. Nor was he distinguished alone for the ability and success of his pulpit ministrations, but for his wisdom in counsel, and administrative capacity. But in the meridian of life, he was removed from the itenerant's field to the invalid's limited sphere; from the pulpit to the sick room. In his affliction and death he exemplified the truth of that he had preached in life. One of the most prominent features of his christian character was unshaken confidence in the atonement of Jesus Christ. He would often say, "all I have done is nothing. I trust only in Christ for salvation." Several days before his death he did not seem to enjoy as much ecstacy as he had done, owing, doubtless, to his great mental anxiety about his family, and his intense physical suffering; yet in the absence of this rap-

ture and joy, he would say: "I trust in Christ for the future." When asked if he enjoyed the same comfort he had spoken of before, he replied, "peace, peace." He was a great sufferer, but he was patient to the end. Often when his frail frame was writhing in intense agony, he would express a desire to die, but on reflection, he would say, in the language of his suffering Master, "not my will but thine be done." A short time before he died, at his request, his family came very near his bedside, and he gave them his dying charge, and breathed on them his dying prayer. He spoke tenderly to his sorrowing wife, and told her to raise the children in the fear of God. He took each of his children by the hand and gave them a father's counsel and blessing. When the youngest was brought, he looked upon the dear little boy with a solicitude which only a parent could feel, and breathed a most touching prayer for him. He then said—"I feel that I have trusted in the Saviour, and that I have not trusted him in vain. I believe I shall soon come off more than conqueror and be at rest. Glory to God." On being asked if he had any message to send to the Conference or to any of its individual members, he replied, "I would like to send messages to several of my friends if I had strength to talk; but I want them all to understand that I died in the faith of the Gospel, praising Him for all that is past and trusting Him for all that is to come." 'Mark the perfect man and behold the upright, for the end of that man is peace."

Question 15. *Are all the preachers blameless in life and official administration?* This was carefully attended to by calling over their names severally before the Conference.

Question 16. *What is the number of preachers and members in the several Circuits, Stations, and Missions, of the Conference?*

CHARLESTON DISTRICT.

Names of Circuits, Stations, and Missions in District.	Local Preachers	White Members.	White Proba'nrs	Colored Members.	Colored Proba'nrs	Infants Baptized	Adults Baptized	No. of S S Teachers.	No. of S S Scholars.	S. Schools
Charleston, Trinity,		151				4		26	146	1
" Cumberland,		85								
" Bethel,	3	276				33	5	25	125	1
" Spring-street,										
Cooper River Circuit,	2	220	47	50	17	31		66	350	9
Summerville "	4	305		100		60	10			
Summerville Station,		67						6	67	1
Walterboro Circuit,		225		195				4	20	1
Black Swamp,	1	160	9	336	88	53	63	13	42	3
Hardeeville Circuit										
	10	1489	56	681	105	181	78	140	750	16

BLACKVILLE DISTRICT.

Names of Circuits, Stations and Missions.	Local Preachers	White Members	White Proba'nrs	Colored Members	Colored Proba'nrs	Infants Baptized	Adults Baptized	No. of S S Teachers	No. of S S Scholars	S. Schools
Blackville Circuit,	1	142	1	22	1	7	2			
Bamberg "	5	235	23	316		42	5	8	27	1
St. Bartholomew's Circuit,	1	429	50	315		178	174	14		3
Allendale "		206	1			14	44			
Prince William's "										
Barnwell "	3	150		53		6	3	6	25	1
Silverton Mission,										
Aiken Station,	1	32		6		5		9	70	2
Graniteville Mission		132		41		14	9	12	85	1
	11	1326	75	753	1	266	237	49	207	8
ORANGEBURG DIST'CT.										
Orangeburg Circuit,		330	5	120	30	26	4	38	208	7
Upper Orange "	4	284		35		4	9	5	13	1
Eastern " "	1	200				10	1	3	20	1
Providence, "	1	366	30	156	94	56	21	16	50	2
St. Matthew's "		184		60		36	1	30	125	5
Fort Motte "										
St. George's, "	1	318	2	140		35	2	3	25	1
Edisto, "		222		179		2		7	50	2
Lexington, "	3	437		215		19	34	13	120	2
Edisto Fork, "	2	212		83		39	22	13	48	3
Beaver Creek, "										
	12	2553	37	988	124	207	94	128	659	24
MARION DISTRICT.										
Marion Station,		159				6	1	10	50	1
Marion Circuit,	7	458	15			10	15	12	50	3
Buck Swamp,	3	471		42		10	6	21	123	5
Brownsville,	5	482	18			36	35	24	276	6
Liberty Chapel,	1	298	45	300		3	21			
Kingstree Circuit,	1	400				13	6	30	150	4
*Kingstree Mission,										
Darlington Station,	2	94				3	1	9	30	1
Darlington Circuit,	6	957		57				49	221	9
Lynchburg "	4	511		306		14	21	22	70	4
Black River,	1	350		200		6				
Georgetown & Sampit Miss.,		114	2			6		8	100	1
Conwayboro Station,		99			5	5		5	34	1
Conwayboro Circuit,	5	839		204		50	156	52	315	12
Waccamaw Mission,		22	4	1		2	3			
*Discontinued.	35	5254	84	1110	5	164	265	242	1379	45

COLUMBIA DISTRICT.

Names of Circuits, Stations and Missions.	Local Preachers	White Members	White Proba'ers	Colored Members	Colored Proba'ers	Infants Baptized	Adults Baptized	No. of S. S. Teachers	No. of S. S. Scholars.	S. Schools
Columbia, Washington St.,	1	316						21	125	1
" Marion St.,	1	136				13	2	13	75	1
Camden,		65				1		7	25	1
Wateree Miss.,		38		395				6	84	1
Chester,		268		56		7	16	11	45	2
Sandy River,		108	2	222	8	15	84	5	20	1
Winnsboro,		45		242		15	30	4	60	1
Fairfield,	2	400		355		28	24	30	210	5
Columbia Circuit,		232		70		20		10	35	2
Richland Fork,		175	25	90	130					3
Rocky mount Circuit,	1	342		510		23	47	13	88	3
Bishopville,	1	349		53		27	21	22	102	4
Sumter Station,	3	184		1		3	1	10	176	1
Sumter Circuit,	5	407				3		24	50	2
Manning,		236		137		24	2	16	84	3
Santee,	6	218		300				11	57	2
Upper Santee,		45		395			17			
	20	3564	27	2826	138	179	244	203	1236	33
COKESBURY DISTRICT.										
Cokesbury Circuit,	1	564		472		29	153	27	202	4
Abbeville, "	3	725		1000		85	25	21	475	11
Ninety Six,	1	257		290		15	50	36	182	5
Upper Saluda Miss.,										
Mapleton Circuit,	2	300		283		10	45	8	50	2
Edgefield, "	1	226		62		6	15	7	53	2
Butler, "	3	377		108		9	16	4	20	1
Newberry Station,		85		308		37	66	10	150	2
Newberry, Circuit,	3	930		1338		98	234	40	220	7
Laurens, "	3	632		350		55	158	47	400	7
Reedy River "	1	274	4	102	8	11	57	36	160	6
Pickens, "	4	800		145		59	251	91	517	15
Anderson Station,		104		75			18	11	40	1
Pendleton Circuit,	1	329		184		20	85	77	460	5
Mount Zion "	2	263	80	70				43	255	6
Anderson "	2	293		140		3	12	20	170	5
Also 2 colored local preachers	27	6159	84	4927	8	437	1895	478	3354	79

WADESBORO DISTRICT.

Names of Stations, Circuits, and Missions.	Local Preach'rs	White Members	White Proba'ers	Colored Members	Colored Proba'ers	Infants Baptized	Adults Baptized	No. of S S Teachers.	No. of S S Scholars	S Schools
Wadesboro Circuit,	3	711	9	334	3	17	40	14	220	3
Ansonville,	1	250		8		9		6	200	1
Lane's Creek,	1	146		22		12	17	14	95	4
Albemarle,	2	900		200				62	415	10
Concord,	1	752	55	40		170	22	64	404	10
Monroe, Station,	2	109		44		6	19	17	170	2
Monroe Circuit,	2	500		26		85	5	40	230	8
Pleasant Grove Circuit,	1	512		12	1	18	4	23	166	3
Lancaster "		147				6	4	14	62	1
Hang'ng Rock, "		265				14	16	27	111	5
Cheraw, "		100		116		2	2	15	145	2
Chesterfield, "	3	449		99		23	20	25	184	4
Bennettsville, "	8	1128		365		20	35	58	337	12
	24	5969	64	1266	4	382	164	379	2214	65
SHELBY DISTRICT,										
Shelby,	4	1135		20	50	50	65	45	326	6
South Mountain Mission,		365				4	16	4	60	2
Lincolnton Station,		113		2				18	69	1
Lincolnton Circuit,	4	831		158		60	35	50	500	9
Dallas "		400		30		12	5	18	108	5
*Yorkville Station,										
York Circuit,	3	218		139		17	30	4	25	1
*York Mission,										
Rock Hill Circuit,		400		450		60	52	40		1
Pineville "		284		52		11	16	11	90	2
Charlotte Station,	2	285	12					40	1078	2
Charlotte Circuit,	2	836	20	32	70	28	9	43	300	10
Newton "		515		25		28	4	36	282	7
Happy Home "	4	400	10	30	10	15	52	17	300	6
South Fork, "	1	571		116		101	73	62	634	8
Lenoir "	7	730		145			60	62	368	10
Yadkin Mission,		70		30		3	71			
Morganton Circuit,	3	797		165		12	72	42	470	5
Burke Mission,										
* No Report.	30	7950	42	1394	130	401	559	487	4610	75

SPARTANBURG DISTRICT.

Names of Circuits, Stations and Missions.	Local Preachers	White Members	White Proba'nrs	Colored Members	Colored Proba'nrs	Infants Baptized	Adults Baptized	No. of S S Teachers	No. of S S Scholars	S. Schools
Spartanburg Station,	3	190		100				15	120	1
Spartanburg Circuit,		318		32				25	169	4
Rich Hill, "	2	491	30	145		17	80	42	305	9
Unionville, "		97		140	5	7	7	15	101	2
Cane Creek, "	1	125	20	225	50	1	1			
Belmont, "	1	308		54			100	15	120	3
Fair Forrest, "		225		25						
Goshen Hill, "	1	197		204				5	15	1
Pacolet, "	2	129		160		5	18	14	63	2
Greenville Station,	1	123				25	75	18	191	2
Greenville Circuit,	2	606		201		23	175	40	460	5
Reidville,	1	538				8	17			
Columbus,		318		120		16	37	30	160	6
Pickensville,	3	391		61		6	69	45	270	8
*Keowee,										
Rutherford,	2	576		232		25	95	15	75	4
McDowell,	2	515	129	74	102	34	99	26	116	4
* No Report.	21	5147	179	1773	157	167	773	305	2165	51

RECAPITULATION.

Charleston District,	10	1489	56	681	105	181	78	140	750	16
Orangeburg "	12	2553	37	988	124	207	94	128	659	24
Blackville "	11	1326	75	753	1	266	237	49	207	8
Marion "	35	5254	84	1110	5	164	265	242	1379	45
Cokesburry "	27	6159	84	4927	8	437	1895	478	3354	79
Columbia "	20	3564	27	2826	138	179	244	203	1236	33
Wadesboro "	24	5969	64	1266	4	382	164	379	2214	65
Shelby "	30	7950	42	1394	130	401	559	487	4610	70
Spartanburg "	21	5147	179	1773	157	167	773	305	2165	55
Total this year,	190	39,411	648	15,718	672	2420	4309	2411	17,139	396
" last "	202	35,928	4368	23,559	2675					
Increase,		3,483								
Decrease,	12		3720	7,841	2003					

Question 17. *How many infants, and adults have been baptized during the year?* 1585, *white*, 835, *colored infants.* 1996, *white* 2313, *colored adults.*

Question 18. *What is the number of Sunday School Teachers and scholars?* 396, *schools*, 2411, *teachers* 17,139, *scholars.*

Question 19. *What amounts are necessary for the Superanuated Preachers and the widows and orphans of preachers, and to make up the deficiencies of those who have not obtained their regular allowance in their respective Districts Circuits and Stations?*—$7344.100.

Question 20. *What has been collected on the foregoing, accounts, and how has it been applied?*—$1401.65, and divided between thirty claimants.

Question 21. *What has been contributed for the Missionary and Tract Societies?*—$2636,39, collected for missions.

Question 22. *When and where shall the next Conference be held?* Morganton, N. C.: to begin Wednesday 27th. November if convenient to the presiding Bishop.

Question 23. *Where are the preachers stationed this year?*

Charleston District, F A Mood, P. E. Charleston, Trinity, E J Meynardie
Cumberland, to be supplied. Bethel, J. T. Wightman.
Spring street, to be supplied.
Mount Pleasant, to be supplied. Cooper River, E J Pennington.
Summerville, C Murchison. Walterboro, J W McRoy.
St. Bartholomew's, T J Clyde, *J J Snow*, Supernumerary.
Bamberg, C Wilson. Ravenel, to be supplied. Hardeeville, J R Coburn.
Allendale, A J Stokes. Black Swamp, Aug W Walker.
State Normal School, H M Mood.
Orangeburg District, A M Chritzberg, P. E. Orangeburg, W G Conner,
Eastern Orange, W W Jones. Branchville, T Raysor.
Upper Orange, John L Sifley, one to be supplied. St. Matthew's, W Hutto,
St. Georges, J E Penny. Providence, J S Connor.
Blackville, M L Banks, R B Tarrant, Supernumerary. Aiken, *J P Morris.*
Graniteville Miss., J R Pickett. Lexington Ct., W. Carson,
Lexington Miss., to be supplied. Barnwell, A. Nettles.
Marion District, R J Boyd, P. E. Marion, S H Browne, T Mitchel, Sup'ry.
Marion Ct., L M Little, T W Munnerlyn, Supernumerary.
Buck Swamp, *J B Platt.* Liberty Chapel, Ct., J B Campbell.
Darlington, *A J Stafford.* Darlington Ct., S Jones.
Brownsville, M A McKibben. Georgetown, John A Porter.
Black River, J C Stoll. Kingstree, W W Mood.
Yuhaney & Black River Mission, A Ervin. Conwayboro, J H C McKinney.
Conwayboro Ct, G H Wells. Waccamaw Ct, & Miss, C Betts, one to be supplied
Lynchburg, D J McMillan.
Columbia District, C H Pritchard P. E.
Columbia, Washington and Marion-Sts., D J Simmons, W Martin.

Columbia Ct., D W Seale. Richland Fork, M Brown.
Rocky Mount, J L Shuford. Sandy River, G W M Creighton.
Chester, S Leard. Fairfield, A J Cauthen, one to be supplied.
Camden, *C Thomason.* Sumter, Jas Stacy.
Sumter Ct., J W Murray, one to be supplied.
Bishopville, P F Kistler, A McCorquodale, Supernumery.
Manning, W A Hemmingway. Santee, S J Hill.
Cokesburry District, W H Fleming, P. E.
Cokesburry Ct., J T Kilgo, S B Jones, Supernumerary.
Abbeville, W P Mouzon, *R M Harrison.*
Ninety Six, T G Herbert, A L Smith, Supernumerary.
Ninety Six Colored Ct., *J A Attaway.* Saluda River Miss., W H Lawton.
Mapleton, T S Daniel. Edgefield, P L Herman. Butler, W A Clarke.
Newberry, W S Black. Newberry Ct., J H Zimmerman, *J B Traywick.*
Laurens, A N Wells, R R Dagnall. Reedy River, F Auld.
Greenville District, Alex B Stevens, P. E. Greenville, J W Humbert.
Greenville, Ct., R C Oliver. Reidville, W Bowman.
Pickensville, J J Workman. Keowee Miss., to be supplied.
Walhalla, J M Carlisle, Sup. Walhall Ct., to be supplied, F M Morgan, Sup.
Seneca and Toogalo, H J Morgan. Anderson, *George F Round.*
Anderson Ct., W A Hodges. Pendleton, D D Byars.
Orphan's Home Miss., Thos H Edwards.
Spartanburg District, R P Franks, P. E. Spartanburg, W A Gamewell.
Spartanburg, Ct., J B Massebeau. Rich Hill, V A Sharp.
Pacolet, *J E Watson.* Unionville, O A Darby. Fair Forrest, to be supplied.
Cane Creek, J W Kelly. Belmont, J S Ervin. Goshen Hill, Jos Parker.
Rutherford, D May. Cherry Mountain, to be supplied.
Marion, (N. C.,) E G Gage. McDowell, J D Carpenter.
Columbus, John A Wood. Wofford College, A M Shipp, *President.*
Wofford College, W Smith, *Profecsor.*
Shelby District, J W North, P. E. Shelby, R B Alston.
Shelby Ct., A P Avant. South Mountain Miss., to be supplied.
Lincolnton, *S Lander.* Lincolnton Ct., J Finger. Dallas, C E Land.
Yorkville, W T Capers, L A Johnson, Supernumerary.
York Ct. and Miss., M A Connelly. Rock Hill, J M Cline.
Pineville, N K Melton. Charlotte, W C Power. Calvary Mis., to be supplied.
Charlotte Ct., W S Haltom, R L Duffey, J W Abernathy.
Newton, B G Jones. South Fork, John Watts. Lenoir, G W Ivey.
Yadkin Miss., to be supplied. Happy Home, J C Hartsell.
Morganton, P G Bowman. Morganton Colored Charge, J S Nelson, Sup.
Davenport Female College, *J R Griffith, President,* S A Webber, *Professor*
Mecklenburg Female College, A G Stacy. Mt, Bethel Academy, *J C Crisp.*
Wadesboro District, F M Kennedy, P. E,

Wadesboro, E W Thompson, W L Pegues. Cheraw, *R Harper.*
Pedee Colored Ct., J W Coward. Ansonville, J A Mood.
Monroe, *J R Little.* Monroe Ct., L Scarboro. Pleasant Grove, L Wood.
Lancaster, J W Crider. Hanging Rock, to bs supplied.
Bennettsville, T R Walsh, R R Pegues' L M Hamer, Supernumerary.
Albermarle, J W Puett, one to be supplied. Concord, *M C Davis.*
Mt. Pleasant, E A Lemmond. Chesterfield, O Eaddy.
T A Boone, Chaplain and Agent of the Carolina Female College.
H A C Walker, Charles Taylor, and J W Wightman, transferred to Kentucky Conference.
J C Randall to Texas Conference; and J P DePass, to Florida Conference.
F. A. Mood was elected to preach the annual Sermon.

RESOLUTIONS.—MINUTES.

PRESENTED BY A. G. STACY.

Resolved, That the preachers in charge of circuits, stations and missions shall collect during the ensuing Conference year, from each of one of the Churches under their care, such an amount as the members and friends are willing to contribute for the publication of the Minutes of our next Annual Session, and that each Church contributing shall in due time be furnished with copies of the Minutes to the value of the amount advanced.

FAST DAYS.

PRESENTED BY W. A. GAMEWELL.

Resolved, That the first Friday in April and September of the ensuing year, be set apart as days of fasting and prayer, and that upon those occasions, special supplication be made to Almighty God for the outpouring of His Spirit upon the Church, and the thrusting out additional laborers into His vineyard; and the publication be made in the *Southern Christian Advocate*, and other papers friendly to the cause, for six weeks preceding.

DISTRICT MEETINGS.

PRESENTED BY O. A. DARBY.

Resolved, In case the Annual Conferences shall ratify the action of the General Conference in reference to lay-representation, that each Presiding Elder shall call together the members of his Quarterly Conference, at some suitable time and place within the bounds of his district, once during the year.

Resolved, That the District Meetings be empowered to elect laymen to represent the District in the Annual Conference.

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

A. M. Shipp, *Chairman* H. M. Mood, James Stacy; T. R. Walsh, C. Betts

ANNUAL REPORT.

WOFFORD COLLEGE, SPARTANBURG C. H., S. C.

The first session of the 13th Collegiate year commenced in this Institution on the first day of October last, with a patronage of fifty students in the College and Preparatory school. Their progress in studies during the year has been satisfactory to the Faculty, and their moral deportment unexceptionable. Many were the subjects of a gracious revival of religion during the month of October, and these, added to the number of those who were antecedently members of the Church, leave a comparatively small number in the Institution who are not now professors of religion. The course of studies and the standard of scholarship remain unchanged, but the Faculty now admit into the Institution irregular students or those who wish to pursue particular studies.

The Trustees on the 4th of July established a new Professorship to be called the Professorship of History and Biblical Literature, and the Rev. A. H. Lester, A. M., a member of the Conference, was elected to fill it. A Divinity School was at the same time established and placed under the supervision of Rev. A. M. Shipp D. D. Rev. Whitefoord Smith, D. D., and Rev. A. H. Lester A M The next session of the College and the Schools will begin on the 8th January, 1867. The Faculty is composed of Rev. A. M. Shipp, D. D., President and Prof. of Mental and Moral Science; David Duncan, A. M., Professor of Ancient Langnages and Literature; Rev. Whitefoord Smith, D. D., Professor of English Literature; J. H. Carlisle, A. M., Professor of Mathematics; Warren Du Pre, A. M., Professor of Natural Science; Rev. A. H. Lester, A. M., Professor of History and Biblical Literature.

The following is the Board of Trustees: W. A. Gamewell, A. M. Shipp, J. R. Pickett, C. Betts, W. P. Mouzon, H. M. Mood, W. G. Conner, H. Wofford, W. J. T. Miller, S. Bobo, J. H. Dogan, G. W. Williams, Robt. Bryce.

COLUMBIA FEMALE COLLEGE.

The Committee on Education recommend that the Rev. W. C. Power be appointed by this Conference to examine specifically into the liabilities and assets of the Columbia Female College, and in sonsultation with the Trustees to devise means for payment, and also to obtain an inventory of the furniture outside the College and to ascertain who holds it—and to see that the pianos are rented or sold as shall best subserve the interests of the College—and to arrange for the opening of the College as soon as the debts of the Institution can be adjusted.

Trustees.—R. J. Boyd, A. M. Chrietzberg, J. Stacy, C. H. Pritchard, W. H. Fleming; W. G. Conner, T. R. Walsh, W. T. Capers, N. Talley, F. A. Mood, E. J. Meynardie, D. J. Simmons, E. G. Gage, R. Bryce, Dr. J. W. Parker General W. Wallace, Hon J. S. Preston, E. J. Arthur, R. D. Senn, A. F. Dubard, W. Glaze, Dr. A. N. Talley, Dr. C. H. Miot, Col. L. D. Childs, Maj. D. B. Miller.

SPARTANBURG FEMALE COLLEGE.

This Institution after temporary suspension was re-opened on the 9th of May last, with a small patronage, because several schools conducted by worthy and competent teachers in the town had sprung up and taken off the day scholars. The number of students, however, is increasing, and it is hoped that its former prosperity and usefulness will at no distant day be restored. A fine climate, healthy location and competant Faculty recommend this College to public patronage.

The Faculty consists of Rev. A. W. Cummings, D. D., Mrs Isabella H. Cummings, Miss Alice M Sheldon, and Miss Sue V. R. Sheldon.

Trustees.—S. Bobo, A. W. Walker, A. H. Lester, C Murchison, T. G. Herbert, J. A. Porter, Manning Brown, W. S. Black, W. Du Pre, T. O. P. Vernon, A. H. Kirby, J. W. Wilson, John A. Lee.

CAROLINA FEMALE COLLEGE.

During the academic year which ended on the 30th May last, there were received into this Institution at different times 65 pupils, and the present session has had an average patronage of about 60. Bright hopes are entertained by the Faculty and Trustees of still increased patronage and prosperity in consequence of the good health that prevailed in the College during the past year and other favoring circumstances. The committee recommend a concurrence on the part of the Conference in the following resolutions of the

Board of Trustees, and the appointment of Rev. T. A. Boone, as Chaplain and Agent for the College:

Resolved, That we, the Board of Trustees of C. F. College, make this proposition to the South Carolina Conference, that we will pay off the indebtedness of the College' upon the condition that the Conference will authorise the Board of Trustees, to execute a deed of Trust of the College and the property belonging thereto, to the individual members of the Board of Trustees, who loan the money, to secure them in the payment of the principal and interest at some future time, and that the Conference put an agent in the field and continue him there, until he shall secure the money to release the College from the trusts. The agent to be paid for his services under the original agreement made with the old Board of Trustees.

Faculty.—Rev. J. E. Blankenship, President; T. S. Smith, Professor; Mrs Emma Cannon, Teacher of Music; Mis Z. Blankenship, Ornamental Department; Miss Fannie Burns, Preparatory School.

Trustees.—Col. W. G. Smith, Purdie Richardson, E. G. Kendall, W. C. Smith, W. P- Kendall, C. Wooly, T. A. Boon, F. M. Kennedy, R. R. Pegues, W. C. Power, P. E. of Wadesboro Dist, P. C. of Wadesboro, Ansonville Ct. and Wadesboro Station.

DAVENPORT FEMALE COLLEGE.

The first session of this Institution, located in Lenoir, N. C., for the year 1866, commenced on Feb. 28th, and the second session closed on Nov. 12th. The past year has been a successful one for the College. Seventy-eight pupils have matriculated during the year. Five young ladies were graduated at the Commencement The friends of the Institution confidently predict for it still greater prosperity for the next year than has attended it during the last.

Faculty.—Rev. J. R. Griffith, President; Rev. Samuel A. Weber, Professor; L. F. Whitaker, Professor of Music; Mrs C. A. Wilber, Teacher of Liturture department Miss S. Rankin Teachr of Drawing and Painting; A. A. Scroggs, M. D., Lecturer no Anatomy, etc.

Trustees.—Rev. Messrs J. W. North, P. F. Kistler, A. J. Cauthen, A. McCorquodale, A. G. Stacy, and G. W. Ivy; Colonel E. W. Jones, Colonel J. C. Harper, S. Dula, Esq. Nelson Powell and Azor Shell.

Visiting Committee.—P. G. Bowman, S. Lander, A. J. Stafford.

COKESBURY SCHOOL.

Has, during the past year under the rectorship of Rev. S. B. Jones and Captain Smith, had a pleasant year. The number of pupils on account of the stringent times has been small. It is desirable and practicable to make this old and valued Institution of learning what it should be a well patronised and useful agency in the cause of literature and religion.

The Trustees are—*Laymen*, F. A. Connor, Chas. Smith, G. W. Hodges, F. F. Gary.

Clerical, S Leard, S. B. Jones' W. A. Lawton, S. H. Browne, and T. Raysor.

The Committee respectfully request the presiding Bishop to appoint the Rev. H. M. Mood, as Principal of the State Normal and High School of Charleston, Rev. A. G. Stacy as President of the Mecklenburg Female College, and the Rev. W. G. Conner as Principal of Orengeburg Female Academy, as Institutions worthy of public patronage and promising great usefulness to the Church and country.

In conclusion, the committee beg leave to offer for adoption by the Conference, the following resolutions, viz:

1. That the presiding Bishop be respectfully requested to appoint to our Institutions of learniug, such members of the Conference as have been elected by the several Boards of Trustees to fill chairs of instruction.

2. That as a body of Christian ministers, we will use our best endeavors and most active exertions to promote the interests of our Institutions of learning, recommending them in all our pastoral intercourse, obtaining for them as many students as possible, and heartily co-operating in raising such funds as have been voted by the Conference.

COMMITTEES OF EXAMINATION.

For Candidates.—S. H. Browne, John W. Kelly, John H. Zimmerman.

First Year.—J. T. Wightman, Wm. C. Power, A. J. Cauthen, O. A. Darby.

Second Year.—Thomas Mitchell, Wm. T. Capers, Rob't. P. Franks, Jno. R. Picket.

Third Year.—Samuel Leard, Robert J. Boyd, Jno, W. Humbert, Wm. Martin.

Fourth Year.—Wm. P. Mouzon, Claudius H. Pritchard, Wm. G. Conner, E. J. Meynardie.

COURSE OF STUDY.

For Candidates.—History of the Bible. Texts—"Clavis Biblica," "Bible in many Tongues," aud "Our English Bible." Logic—Hedge's Rhetoric—Blair's Lectures, abridged. Geography—Biblical and Modern. English Grammer. "Doctrines and Discipline."

First Year.—The Bible; historical and biographical parts, with reference to Watson's Biblical and Theological Dictionary, enlarged, with new Biblical Atlas, and Preacher's Text Book. Wesley's Sermons, Vol. I. Discipline. Hymn Book. Clarke's Preacher's Manual. Watson's Institutes, Part III. Theological Compend. English Grammer. Compositson.

Second Year.—The Bible; as to the Institutions of Christianity' with reference to Watson's Dictionary, as above. Wesley's Sermons, Vol. II.. Discipline, with reference to Henkle's Analysis. Hymn Book. Smith's Elements of Divinity. Watson's Institutes, Part IV. Watson's Life of Wesley, and Observations on Southey. Essay or Sermon, with reference to Quackenboss' advanced Course of Composition and Rhetoric.

Third Year.—The Bible; as to Doctrines, with reference to Watson's Dictionary, as above. Wesley's Sermons, Vol. III. Discipline. Hymn Book. Watson's Institutes, Part II. Whately's Rhetoric. Essay or sermons' with reference to Vinet's Pastoral Theology.

Fourth Year.—The Bible, generally, with reference to Watson's Dictionary, as above. Wesley's Sermons, Vol. IV. Discipline. Hymn Book. Rivers elements of Moral Philosophy. Watson's Institutes, Part I. Powell on Succession. Church History. Whately's Logic. Essay or Sermon.

COMMITTEE ON CHURCH EXTENTION.

A. M. Shipp, *Chairman* C. Betts, J. Stacy, J. R. Pickett, D. J. Simmons.

THE CONSTITUTION

OF THE

DOMESTIC BOARD OF MISSIONS,

OF THE

SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE,

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.

Article 1. This Board shall consist of a President, and three vice Presidents, a Secretary, a Treasurer, and twelve Managers, who shall be members of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, six of whom shall be laymen and be elected quadrennially by the South Carolina Conference, but should the Conference fail to meet at the appointed time the Board shall continue in office till the election, or appointment of its successors.

Article 2. The Board shall have power to make regulations for its own proceedings, to appropriate money to the support of the missions embraced in the bounds of the Conference, and to defray incidental expenses, together with the Report of the action of the Board annually, and make such recommendations, for the contraction, or discontinuance of Missions to the Conference, as it may seem proper.

Article 3. Seven members at all meetings of the Board shall constitute a quorum.

Article 4. The Board shall keep a journal of all its proceedings and the minutes of each meeting shall be signed by the presiding officer and the Secretary.

Article 5. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to journalize the proceedings of the Board, to conduct its correspondence, to prepare and superintend, as far as possible, the publication of proceedings and annual Report in the minutes and otherwise as the Board or Conference may direct.

Article 6. The Treasurer shall hold all moneys of the Board in his possession in safe deposits with such instructions as the Board may direct, and in absence of such direction, as he may judge safe and convenient, which deposits shall be made by him as an officer of the Board, and subject to his drafts as such, and his successors in office. He shall furnish an annual Report to be published with the annual report of the Secretary, and also amount received for Foreign Missionary Board.

Article 7. In case of vacancy in the Board, it shall proceed to nominate, and the Conference to elect, if they choose, till the Board be full.

Article 8. The Board shall meet at the call of the President, or Vice President, at the seat of the South Carolina Conference on the day preceeding the first day of the first session of said Conference, provided it be not on Suuday. In that case it shall meet on the Saturday before.

The Board of managers were elected to serve for the ensuing four years.

Chas. Betts, President; H. M. Mood, 1st. vice President; R. J. Boyd, 2d. vice President; J. R. Pickett, 3d. vice president; Thos. Raysor, Secretary; W. G. Conner, Treasurer; W. P. Mouzon, S. H. Browne, W. H. Fleming, C. H. Prichard, J. W. Kelly, P. G. Bowman, Laymen; L. Chapin, J. W. Latimer, —— Claywell, Dr. Rembert, Samuel Stevenson, J. M. Carlisle.

On Friday evening Nov. 21st. the Annual Meeting in reference to Missions was held, the following report was adopted, and was followed by addresses from E. W. Sehon, E. H. Myers, and W. Smith.

MISSIONARY REPORT.

The Board of Managers hail, but not as formerly, another anniversary of this venerable Society. Once they rejoiced in an increasing revenue, a growing membership, and catechumens under its fostering care. Each return of this auspicious day, found them mapping out new fields of blessed toil, devising means for their supply, thanking God and taking courage. But from causes needless to narrate, a great change has come over us, and mourn, as we may, the loss of worldly wealth, thousands mourn more bitterly the blight fallen upon our once fruitful mission fields. It would advantage us little to enumerate our losses as we once counted our gains; and we allude to them simply to urge increased vigor in the prosecution of missionary enterprise, for though cast down we are not destroyed. The success or failure of Christian missions is not the ground or reason for their prosecution. Many would seem to think it was; hence the long delay of success in foreign fields, or the wide spread ruin that has overtaken our domestic work, may be seized upon by some as a reason for their abandonment altogether. A godless world in its natural hostility to the Church of Christ opposes Christian missions; but this would not be discouraging in itself the fear is that the Church of Christ may unconsciously lend that godless world its aid. Many favorable to missions may not see or express very clearly the true ground the Church occupies in prosecuting them. Long has this utilitarian age demanded the facts and figures indicative of success: these wanting, no high sounding rhetoric will satisfy, not even a command from heaven encourage the movement. But we hesitate not to declare, no degree, of success is the proper incentive to the duty; no degree of failure the reason for abandonment. The subordinate in the field, questions at his peril, the command of his superior. It is his to obey, let the result be victory or defeat. The Church by her very charter is a Missionary Society; the command of her Lord is "Go ye into all the world and preach

the gospel to every creature." The reason and warrant for preaching the gospel in christendom, is precisely the same for preaching the gospel in pagan lands. In neither case is success or failure in saving souls the measure of her duty; but simply the command of her Lord, who for this one great end hath organized the church, "that always, and to the end of the world, she may teach all nations, and preach the gospel to every creature." If there be hesitancy therefore on her part to prosecute the work, because of the want of success, difficulty, or cost of the enterprise, she is recreant to her trust, and cannot look for the divine blessing on her operations at home. The cry from many quarters is, better let the heathen alone; but they will not be let alone; the great movements of commercial enterprise invade the remotest parts of the earth, and the vices of civilization, unrelieved by its virtues, prey upon the savage. Besides, we have no choice; the command is "Go," and, "into all the world," and preach the gospel to *every* creature.

The love of Christ is expansive in its nature; no limits and bounds restrain it, hence we wonder not that the heart under its influence exclaims, "The world is my parish." This love urges to service. And the outlay of ones best efforts for anothers good is the glory of our holy Christianity. According to her teachings, true dignity consists not in robes of State, or insignia of office, but in ministering to the wants of the race. Angels are ministering spirits. The Saviour himself came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and taught his disciples "he that will be chief among you let him be your servant.,' So we are not surprised at St. Paul's exclamation, "I am debtor both to the Greek and to the barbarian; both to the wise and the unwise, and that he should declare "as much as in me is," his readiness to preach the gospel in "the regions beyond."

In no age of the church has there ever been a lack of men to illustrate the same spirit: the lack of means has been the chief hinderance to the advance of the gospel. And no wonder; for no abiding affection, for two objects diametrically opposed can exist in the same heart. The love of gold will inevitably supplant the love of Christ. A church may be "rich and increased in goods and have need of nothing," and yet like lukewarm Laodiccea, be powerless to advance Christ,s kingdom. Another like Symrna may have "tribulation and poverty,,' and the record of the Spirit be, "but thou are rich," with the assurance that upon continued fidelity the crown of life was certain. Like the church of Macedonia the grace of God may be manifest when "In a great trial of affliction the abundance of their joy and their deep poverty abounded unto the riches of their liberality." Poverty then, even the deepest, is no excuse for neglecting the command of the Saviour. In this view, it is painful to the considerate mind, even if poverty is prevalent, to hear the common vulgar sm, "missions are played out." A saying, it is feared, that has deterred many a Christian minister from presenting and urging their claims upon the bounty of the church. The business of the prophet of the Lord is

to teach. All timidity, sensitiveness, fear of the reproach of self-seeking, are out of place in this connection. St. Paul, whatever may have been the degree of self-abandonment he practiced, lest the gospel should be hindered, failed not to declare the whole duty of the church, and startled the Corinthians with the declaration, that if he preached the gospel to them freely "he robbed other churches, taking wages of them" to do it. At this juncture the trumpet should give no uncertain sound. It is said that commercial ruin has overtaken the country; "we have no money and cannot give!" If true, this is a sufficient answer both to God and man; but if not true, it is intolerable hypocricy towards both. Can it be true, when "silks rustle and jewels shine" as of yore, when all demands that luxury and pride and commercial enterprise make are without a murmur—*God's calls* and the claims of the gospel are alone ignored? This should not be. The Lord's portion of a man's substance must be insisted on, and the offering of the lame and sick, and the blind scouted from the sanctuary. Every man makes provision for the claims upon his income, so much for the cost of living, luxury, dress—how much for his religion? In innumerable cases it is the tithe of nothing. St. Paul urges "as we have opportunity do good to al men," exhort to be "rich in good works," ready to distribute. In the light of the scriptures, none can escape the obligation; no duty is enjoined more forcibly, none urged more frequently, and yet alas! what are the facts! War luxury, and vice absorb the revenues of earth; sin, self, and satan all make their claims upon one's income and are unhesitatingly met—the honor of Christ, and the good of the world alone ignored. To get the merest driblets of one's bounty, strong appeals to passion, prejudice and pride must be made, and the gift not at all proportionate to the giver's ability, wonderfully exalts his self appreciation. Oh! humanity, christianized humanity, is this right? Every lover of Christ is bound to honor Him; he is obliged to help in the advancement of His kingdom. Ministers are not alone responsible, "wo to them if they preach not the gospel," wo to others if in their farms and workshops and the marts of trade they ignore its claims. The spirit of Christianity is a spirit of self sacrifice, and he is no Christian who cannot deny himself. The spirit of benevolence is one of its crowning graces; the scriptures are crowded with incentives to the duty; precept, promise and example all urge it; from the example of the widow's mite, in the balances of the sanctuary out weighing the shekel, to that of the God man dying upon the cross. The Saviour said, "take heed and beware of covetousness." The church has need to learn its great danger, and in these Southern lands under Divine Providence she is being taught, "that a man's life," that is, the good of it, "consisteth not in the abundance of the things he possesseth." God hath arisen in the majesty of a rebuker, and the hoarded treasure hath vanished; yet we still live, and with higher hopes of that blessed inheritance, beyond the reach of war's devastations and governmental misrule. An enlarged benovolence must be the result of an

avoidance of this sin, and a consecration of a portion of ones substance to the Lord must fill a depleted treasury to aid in the advance of the gospel. Men must know that if the Lord's claims are not met, they will meet judgment even in this life; they will pay them in loss of property, bad harvests, security debts, and such like. So taught the prophets of old. "Ye have sown much and bring in little, why? I did blow upon it, saith the Lord of hosts." "He that earneth wages earneth wages to put it into a bag with holes. I called for a drouth upon all the labors of thy hands." This follows, inevitably, from offering the lame, and the sick, and the blind in sacrifice. "Offer it now to thy Governor, will he be pleased with thee, or accept thy person? saith the Lord of hosts." The worst that can be said of covetousness is that it is idolatry, transfering the confidence that should be in God to gold, and leaving in the midst of Christendom a baser idolatry than among benighted pagans. Fine gold becomes a man's hope, and directly in the face of the teachings of the Saviour, he makes the good of his life to consist in his abundance, which abundance is exposed to loss, and even if retained, cannot minister to the supreme wants of his being, while on the other hand, he that maketh the Great God his trust, hath always the eternal Father's superintending care—then comes unhesitating self sacrifice, compliance with every law of the gospel, and a full aeknowledgement of the great truth in opposition to a godless world's opinion that the little that a righteous man hath is better than the riches of many wicked. Under divine protection the handful of meal in the barrel ceases not, and the cruse of oil supplies the necessities of God's children. In view, then, of the fact that the prosecution of the missionary enterprise is in simple obedience to the commands of the Saviour, and because of the expansiveness of Christians charity, and it being the bounden duty of Christians to consecrate their substance, as well as themselves, to the Lord, in order to do good, as well as to save themselves from the sin of covetousness, we unhesitatingly urge church to an increased liberality.

Pour forth the oil, pour boldly forth, it will not fail, until
"Thou failest vessels to provide, which it may largely fill.
Make channels for the stream of love, where they may broadly ru
And love has over flowing streams, to fill them every one.
But if at any time we cease such channels to provide,
The very founts of love for us, will soon be parched aud dried;
For we must share, if we would keep that blessing from above.
Ceasing to give, we cease to love, such, is the law of love."

We have under our supervision eight missions, seven to the whites and one to the colored people:

Graniteville Mission, was served by Rev. J. R. Pickett, it is a mission to whites. He reports it in a flurishing condition.

Silverton Mission, discontinued.

Wateree Mission, was served by Rev. J. L. Shuford. He reports whites 38, and colored 395. There is one Sabbath school with 84 scholars. Received for missions 865.

Richland Fork Mission, was served by Rev. M. Brown. He reports 200 whites and 220 colored members.

Saluda River Mission, was served by Rev. W. H. Lawton. This if a mission to the whites—no statistical report.

Waccamaw Mission, was served by Rev. C. Betts. He made a verbal report of the condition of the work. It was incorporated with the Waccamaw circuit.

South Mountain Mission, no report. It was continued.

Several new missions were established, mainly, to the whites.

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ASSESSMEMT FOR 1867.

For Missions,	$10,000	
For Education,	6,000	
For Conference Collection,	8,000	
For Church Extension,	2,000	
For Sunday Schools,	500	
		$26,500
Bishop's Fund,		$ 1,000
Total,		$27,500

To be divided among the Districts as follows:

Charleston District,	$3,500
Orangeburg "	3,500
Marion "	3,500
Columbia "	3,500
Cokesbury "	3,500
Greenville "	2,000
Spartanburg "	2,675
Wadesboro "	2,675
Shelby "	2,675
Total,	$27,525

It is understood that special donations may be made to any desired object, but the full amount of the assessment for each District as above, must, if practicable, be raised.

FINANCIAL PLAN.

1. It shall be the duty of the Church Extension Committee, in conjunction with a committee of two from the Board of Managers of the Missionary Society, two from the Board of Managers of the Sunday School Society, and two from the Joint Board of Finance, to ascertain at each session of the Annual Conference, what amounts shall be collected during the ensuing Conference year, for the several interests above named, in conjunction with the Presiding Elders of the several Districts; to apportion the same to the several charges within the Conference District, and each Preacher in charge shall furnish his

successor with the amount apportioned to said charge. The distribution of the Fund at the next Conference to be made by the several Boards and Committees having Charge of those interests.

2. Each Preacher shall make all necessary efforts to collect the money apportioned to his charge by the Board.

3. The Preacher in charge of each Circuit, shall (at the close of the Conference year,) fix the first appointment for his successor, at the church nearest the parsonage, or place of boarding; and shall allow him thereafter, at least one week, to arrange for the year; during which time, (the day to be fixed the preceding year by the Preacher and Stewards,) the Stewards shall hold the first meeting at the parsonage or place of boarding, at which it shall be the duty of each Steward to attend.

4. Each Board of Stewards respectively, shall ascertain the whole claim against the circuit for the current year, both for quarterage and traveling expenses, as definitely as possible; and they shall then make an estimate of the family expenses of the Preacher or Preachers of the circuit, including servants' hire and house rent, (if a house is to be rented,) and the entire claim against the circuit for the current year, shall be apportioned to the several congregations composing the circuit, forthwith; each congregation to be notified immediately of the amount it is expected to collect.

5. The Stewards shall divide the congregations composing the circuit among themselves, and shall make all necessary efforts to collect the amounts apportioned to them.

6. It shall be the duty of the Stewards to open subscription books in each congregation, to meet the current claim; and they shall also cause public collections to be taken up, if they deem it necessary, for the same purpose.

7. The Stewards shall settle with the Preachers quarterly, and to this end the subscriptions shall be taken in quarterly installments.

8. The Conference collections for the support of our Superanuated Preachers, and to meet the claims of Preachers, widows, and orphans of Preachers, and to meet the claims of Preachers deficient in quarterage, shall be taken up in each congregation, as early in the year as practicable.

9. The Board of District Stewards shall be a Standing Board for four years; *provided, nevertheless*, that should any vacancy occur in the Board, such vacancy shall be supplied by the Quarterly Conference; and each District Steward shall be charged with collectiug the amount apportioned for the Presiding Elder, to the circuit or station where he resides.

10. The Board of District Stewards shall be charged with the work of supplying the District parsonages with suitable furniture, and shall be authorized to take up collections for the object, in their respective charges.

11. Each member of the Joint Board, and more especially the Chairman thereof, shall feel it his duty to be active in endeavoring to improve the financial condition of the Church, by correspondence with the Stewards of the several charges, by public addresses to the Church, at suitable times, or in any other way he may deem best.

12. The Circuit Steward shall make arrangements early in the year, if they deem it necessary, to receive from the congregations assigned to them, such provisions as they may be able to give, for the support of the Preacher's family, which shall be delivered at the parsonage, at market prices, and shall be placed to the credit of the Church sending it, as family expenses.

13. The Board of Stewards, on their respective charges, are requested to co-operate with the ministers laboring them, in securing the amount the charge has been requested to collect as Conference collection, by private applications

to our wealthier members, and, if necessary, by public collections in their respective congregations.

14. The respective Board of Stewards shall have authority to retain any surplus Conference collections to meet the deficiencies, if any, in the current expenses in the charge where it is collected.

15. The Missionaries are requested to solicit donations for the benefit of the superanuated Preachers, widows, and orphans of Preachers, together with deficient effective preachers of the Conference, from the white membership of the Church under their care.

16. The Presiding Elders shall constitute a Standing Committee to ascertain the names of claimants, and the amount of claim each has upon the funds managed by the Board, which information shall be placed in the hands of some member of the Board, during the first or second day of the session of the Conference, annually.

17. Whenever an effective claimant receives on his work an amount equal to his quarterage, he shall have no claim on the funds of this Board.

18. We recommend all our circuits and stations to publish, from year to year, in one or more of the papers published in the district or county, the names of the Stewards of each circuit and station for the current year.

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EXPLANATIONS.

We propose to give here a short notice of the different columns found under each month in this Almanac. The first column is simply the days of the year, counted from 1 to 365. This column is given in Almanacs of higher grade, and it seems worthy of being introduced here, as it may be frequently useful. It will save time and trouble when we have to answer questions like this: How many days are there from 10th February to 12th August, &c.? The next columns are the days of the month and week, and need no explanation. Then come the columns of "Sun Rise" and "Sun Set." These will answer for any year when once calculated for a particular place. They will also answer without material error for any other place in the same latitude. These columns give the mean time (corrected for refraction), when the upper edge of the sun rises or sets. The next column gives the EQUATION OF TIME (to the nearest minute), and may need some explanation. Suppose a clock, running with perfect regularity, to strike 12 on a given day precisely as the sun's centre is on the meridian, it will not strike 12 the next day precisely as the sun crosses the meridian, but will strike a little before or after, depending on the season of the year, the difference between them will not be great in one day, but let them go on for weeks or months and the clock will be a quarter of an hour behind, or before, the sun's passage over the meridian. This difference is owing to several causes, one of which may be mentioned. The sun *moves* (we speak according to its *apparent* motion) irregularly, more slowly at one time, more rapidly at another. So that the intervals between its successive passages over the meridian are constantly changing, some of them being over twenty-four hours, and *others under, making twenty-four hours* the average interval. Now to avoid confusion it has been thought best to let the clock go on its regular course, striking 12 (midday) every twenty-four hours, without changing it every few days to make it and the sun agree. It is 12 o'clock, *apparent* time, when the sun is on the meridian. It is 12 o'clock, *mean* time, when a good clock strikes 12. It is only on a few days in the year that the sun and clock agree. The difference between them at all other times is called the Equation of time. It is given in the Almanacs for the use of those who wish to set or try their time pieces by a dial or sun mark. If, on a given day, you wish to set your watch by a noon mark or dial, look opposite that day in the Almanac, under the column Equation of Time. If it says "to be added" 5 minutes, it means that when your mark says 12 you must add 5 minutes, and put your watch at 5 minutes past 12. If, on the given day, the column says "to be subtracted," then you will put your watch at 5 minutes *to* 12, or behind the sun. The hours given in the Almanac for Rising, Southing, &c., and of Moon and Planets, are in mean or clock time.

In the middle of the page, will be found the usual items of Astronomical matter. Many intelligent readers pass by these as useless or difficult; but the signs used are few, the same in all Almanacs, and are well worth the few moments study they will require to understand them. They are useful, just as the mark $ is useful, to save the time and space which the word DOLLARS would require if written at length. If we wish to say that Venus and the Sun come to the meridian at the same time on a given day, we express that clearly and briefly by three little signs ♂ ☉ ☾. And so the usual and frequently recurring combinations among the heavenly bodies are indicated by signs.

The columns on the right hand of the page are given to the moon. These form the most tedious part of the calculations in an Almanac. We have said the time of SUN RISE and SUN SET, when once calculated for a given place, will answer for any year. It is entirely different in the case of the moon. A last year's Almanac will give you no help, whatever, in tracing out the moon's phases or motions for this year. The first column gives its RISING OR SETTING. It is not usual (as in the case of the sun) to give *both*, as one of them must take place in the day time when it attracts no attention. The RISING of the moon is given when it occurs at night, that is from full moon to new; and, for a like reason, the SETTING is given from new moon to full. It is easy to see by running the eye down this column that there is great irregularity in the intervals between successive risings or settings. The moon rises later every evening by a period varying from a half hour (nearly) to considerably over an hour, the average being perhaps fifty minutes. This interval varies at different seasons of the year and from

year to year. There are two full moons in the fall (September and October), which rise for several successive nights after shorter intervals than at any other season. In higher latitudes these intervals are very small, and in England the Harvest moon and the Hunter's moon are striking and well known. The difference, however, in our latitude is not so great; and for this year the benefits of these moons, even in high latitudes, will be less striking than they usually are. As there is always a period of more than twenty-four hours between two successive risings of the moon, a day must pass in every month in which it does not rise at all. Suppose, for example, it rises a little before twelve on Tuesday night, its next rising will be after twelve on Thursday morning, so that on Wednesday there will be no rising of the moon. In these cases in the Almanacs the date is left blank, or the printer takes advantage of the blank to insert the word "Morn." The very same thing occurs in the columns of High Tide and Southing. The next column gives the age of the moon every day at 12, in days and tenths of a day, the fraction continuing the same until a new moon. The next column gives the place of the moon in the signs. The young Astronomer who refers to this column must remember the difference between the *sign* Aries, and the *constellation* Aries, &c. The next column gives the phases of the moon for the month, and another gives the passage of the moon over the meridian of Charleston, or its southing as it is usually called, because when on the meridian it is due south of us. The intervals between successive southings are also very irregular. The position too of the moon, when on the meridian, varies greatly from month to month, and from year to year. Sometimes in the latitude of Charleston, when on the meridian, it is within a few degrees of the zenith. Again, when on the meridian here, it is scarcely thirty degrees above the horizon. Its meridian heights this year will be greatly within these extreme limits. The last column gives the time of high tide at Charleston.

THE TIDES.

There are, all along the sea coast, a regular rise and fall of the waters of the ocean once in every twelve and a half hours nearly. This effect is caused by the attraction of the sun and moon, hence the high tide follows the passage of the moon over the meridian of any place, at intervals of time, varying not only in different places (owing to the outline of the coast, &c.), but varying also at the same place, within narrow limits from day to day. The tides are higher at new and full moons than at other times. In the last column under each month will be found one high tide every day at Charleston Harbor. The tide here given is the one immediately following the moon's southing. Half way between any two successive tides given is the intermediate one, which can be easily supplied. The hours given there may be made to give the tides in other ports by adding to them the time given in the first column below. These calculations have been based on the last data of the United States Coast Survey. (Vol. 1859, p. 139.)

PORT.	Time after H. W. at Charlest'n.	Mean Height.	Spring Tide,	Neap Tide.	Duration of Flood.	Duration of Ebb.	Stand.
		Ft.	*Ft.*	*Ft.*	H. M.	H. M.	M.
Charleston.....	0h.	5.1	6.	4.1	6.19	6.7	33
Wilmington, N.C.	2h.	2.7	3.1	2.2	4.45	7.40	30
Georgetown, S. C.	30m.	3.8	4.7	2.7	6.4	6.19	35
Bull's Bay, S. C...	10m.	4.8	5.7	3.7	6.20	6.6	30
St. Helena Sound..	18m.	5.9	7.4	4.4	6.13	6.12	23
Savannah, Geo....	47m.	6.5	7.6	5.5	5.4	7.22	14
St. Augustine, Fla.	1h.	4.2	4.9	3.6	6.5	6.11	32
Key West, Fla....	2h.	1.3	1.6	1.0	6.59	5.25	12

Spring tides are those at new and full moon. Neap tides are those at first and third quarter. The least interval at Charleston between the moon's passage and high tide is 7h. 2m., the greatest 7h. 50m., the mean interval being 7h. 26m. The tides in the Gulf of Mexico are small (average 1 ft.) and usually there is but *one* in 24 hours.

SEASONS OF THE YEAR.

The Sun enters Aries (♈) March 20th, 8h. 19m., morning, when Spring begins. Day and night equal.

The Sun enters Cancer (♋) June 21st, 4h. 53m. ,evening, at the Summer Solstice. Longest days.

The Sun enters Libra (♎) September 23d, 7h. 16m., morning, when Autumn begins. Day and night again equal.

The Sun enters Capricornus (♑) December 22d, 1h. 20m., morning, when Winter begins. Shortest days.

Chronological Cycles.

Dominical Letter	F	Solar Cycle	28
Epact	25	Roman Indiction	10
Lunar Cycle	6	Julian Period	6580

The above notes are always given in Almanacs, yet very little use is made of them by most persons, perhaps a short explanation may have some interest for our young readers. The first Dominical Letter, F, is the Almanac way of telling on what day of the week the year begins. It was the custom once to use the first seven letters of the alphabet in the Almanac, putting A opposite New Year's day, B opposite January 2, and so on to G, and then repeating these letters in order through the year. The letter which fell opposite the first Sunday in the year was called the Dominical Letter (from the old Latin name of Sunday, Dominicus Dies) of that year. Now when it is said above. that F is the letter for 1867, it means that if A should be put opposite January 1, and B opposite January 2, &c., F would fall on Sunday. Then it is easy to see that E, the letter just before F in order, must fall on Saturday, the day just before Sunday, and we find that A must fall on Tuesday, which begins the year. And thus the Dominical Letter being given, we find very easily on what day of the week January begins, and when *that* is found we can arrange the whole year. A moment's reckoning will show that February will begin with D, March will begin also with D, and the successive months of the year will begin with the letters of the alphabet as follows:

Jannary,	February,	March,	April,	May,	June,
A	D	D	G	B	E
July,	August,	September,	October,	November,	December.
G	C	F	A	D	F

This will be the order of the letters as they will begin the different months in *every year* (except a Leap Year, which will be noticed presently), A being put opposite New Year's Day. When the Sunday letter of a particular year is given, then we can at once, *for that year*, associate each letter with its day of the week, as the letters follow in the order of the alphabet through week after week. And if we could remember the order of the letters as they begin the months above, we could instantly tell on what day of the week each month in the given year begins. Now to help the memory to retain this arbitrary order, A, D, D, E, &c., the following lines have been used for perhaps two centuries, so that age will give them a certain dignity, to which they are scarcely entitled as poetry.

At Dover Dwells George Brown Esquire,
Good Christopher Finch And David Friar.

With these in the memory, knowing the Dominical Letter of any year, we can readily find the week day answering to any day of the month, and thus we are able to gratify a natural curiosity to know exactly on what day of the week any great event occurred. A Leap Year, by throwing in an extra day at the end of February, breaks in on the above order of letters, as one letter will fall on the Sundays in January and February, and another letter on each remaining Sunday in the year. A Leap Year then has two Dominical Letters, the first answering for January and February, the other for the remaining months. Any one in a few minutes may become familiar with the Dominical Letter and its uses, and then a table of these letters for a number of years will furnish an answer to many questions which occur to us in our reading.

We give on the next page a table of this kind with the Dominical Letter for every year in the Christian Era, past and indefinitely forward:

TABLE OF DOMINICAL LETTERS.

☞ The numbers below begin at the upper left hand corner, and going down column after column, increase regularly, only every fourth term leaps over a blank space.

CENTURIES (N. S.)																								
	20							21							22						19			
	16							17							18						15			
00	6		17	23	28	34		45	51	56	62		73	79	84	90		A	B	C	D	E	F	G
1	7	12	18		29	35	40	46		57	63	68	74		85	91	96	G	A	B	C	D	E	F
2		13	19	24	30		41	47	52	58		69	75	80	86		97	F	G	A	B	C	D	E
3	8	14		25	31	36	42		53	59	64	70		81	87	92	98	E	F	G	A	B	C	D
	9	15	20	26		37	43	48	54		65	71	76	82		93	99	D	E	F	G	A	B	C
4	10		21	27	32	38		49	55	60	66		77	83	88	94		C	D	E	F	G	A	B
5	11	16	22		33	39	44	50		61	67	72	78		89	95		B	C	D	E	F	G	A
																		12	13	14	15	16	17	18
																		5	6	7	8	9	10	11
																				0	1	2	3	4
																		CENTURIES (O. S.)						

N. B.—SEPT. 2, 1752.

EXPLANATION OF TABLE.

Suppose we wish to find the letter of any year as 1866. Find 66 among the numbers and starting from it pass along the same horizontal line to the right, until you are *under* the CENTURY figure 18, and there you have the letter G. Again, to find 1776, find the number 76 and pass on that line to the right as before, until you are *under* CENTURY 17, and there is the letter F. Remember that leap years have two letters, one for January and February, the other for the rest of the year. This table gives but one, the one which is for the greater part of the year. The one for January and February can easily be supplied as it is always the next letter below the one given *in the order of the alphabet*. Thus the letters for 1776 are G F. The G is to be used if you are searching for a date in January or February, and F for the rest of the year. The letter for 1860 was G, but this was leap year, and another letter is wanted for January and February. As no letters below G are used, A is considered as next to it, and then the letters for 1860 are A G.

The century figures *below* the table are those for old style. To find the letter for 1492, (O. S.) find 92 as before, and pass to the right until you are *over* the century figure 14, and you have the letter G. If the letter for an even century is wanted as 1800, start from 00 in the beginning corner and go on as before. And this is, also, the starting point for any even century O. S. The letter for 1500, O. S. for instance, is D.

SEPT. 2, 1752, is put conspicuously just below the table, because that is in *English History* the day when old style ceases and new style begins. If the date in question then is one in English literature, and earlier than September 2, 1752, use the O. S. century figure at the bottom.

Most of the nations of Europe changed their style October 4, 1582. If the date sought is in *General History*, this must be borne in mind.

The next note, Epact 25, simply means that at the beginning of the year the moon is 25 days old.

The Lunar Cycle, as the name implies, has reference to the Moon also. It is found that if a new moon occurs on New Year's day for instance, nineteen years must pass before a

new moon can fall on that date again. This series of 19 years, after which the new and full moon's fall on the same day of the month (not at the same hour however), was discovered many centuries ago, and in the earlier stages of Astronomy was much used, and was sometimes called the golden number. The year 1861 closed a cycle of this kind, and was 19. The next year began another with 1.

The next, SOLAR CYCLE 28, does not refer to the Sun, as might be inferred from the name, but to Sunday Letters, Sunday having been also called DIES SOLIS. This year begins on Tuesday, and must end on Tuesday. Next year will begin on Wednesday, so that if nothing occurred to break the series after seven years, Tuesday will again begin the year; but leap year does derange the series, so that it is only after 28 years (7x4) that the Dominical letters, Leap years and all, will repeat the same order. This year finishes such a cycle, and 1868 will appear in the Almanacs as Solar Cycle 1.

The next cycle, Roman Indiction, was once a period of the Roman Empire, with no astronomical meaning. It would long since have disappeared from the Almanac but for its connection with the one following. The Julian Period is intended to include an exact number of each of the three preceding cycles, Lunar, Solar, and Roman Indiction. The least number which contains 28, 19, and 15, is that number which is the product of these three terms, viz., 7980. This period of 7980 Julian years was suggested by Joseph Scaliger, the historian, as a universal era, which, if brought into general use, would render unnecessary any other epoch to identify a particular year. He found by counting backwards that no year bore the same number in all these cycles (Lunar, Solar, and Roman), until he reached 709 before the creation of the world. That year is 1 in each of these cycles; he, therefore, suggested that, as the starting point of his all-embracing series. It is called Julian, because it contains a number of common or Julian years.

Some will think that too much space has been given to these elementary explanations; but, familiar as these things may be to some, they are by no means so to others who may wish to understand as thoroughly as possible, the little *volume* which is oftener in their hands than any other. Dr. Lardner says: "One might imagine that a *book* so universally necessary would be as universally understood; nevertheless, it may be fairly questioned whether one in ten thousand of those who daily consult it, have any clear or definite notions of the import of even those parts to which they refer, and it is beyond all doubt that of many other parts they have no notion whatever."

ECLIPSES OF 1867 (MARCH AND SEPTEMBER.)

There *must* be at least *two* eclipses of the sun in every year, and there *may* be as many as *five*. It is not meant that in any one place there must be two solar eclipses visible, but there must be two visible in *some* parts of the earth. An eclipse of the sun is caused by the moon coming *between* us and the sun, hence the sun may be eclipsed to one spot, and may be shining full on another spot of the earth's surface, just as a hill may be darkened (or eclipsed) by the shadow of a cloud passing over it, while a neighboring hill is in the clear sunshine.

An eclipse of the moon is different, it is caused by the moon entering *into* a dark shadow; it is just as if the moon was painted black to that extent, so that all who see the moon must see it eclipsed. Every lunar eclipse must be seen by half the globe. This is the reason why, though there are more solar than lunar eclipses, yet any one person sees more lunar than solar eclipses. Some years (as 1857), pass without a single eclipse of the moon, and there can not be more than *three*. The highest number of both solar and lunar eclipses never happens in one year. The greatest number of eclipses of both kinds, possible in any year, is *seven*, while the smallest is two; both extremes are rare, however, the usual number being *four*, *two* of each kind. This is the number and kind of eclipses in 1867; one solar and lunar in March, and six months after, another one of each in September.

Eclipses of Sun.

1. An annular eclipse of the sun March 6, invisible in America.
2. A total eclipse of the sun August 29, invisible in N. America.

Eclipses of Moon.

1. A partial eclipse of the moon visible over the United States March 20.

	H. M.			
Moon enters Penumbra	12.45	Morn.,	Charleston	time.
" " Shadow	1.56	"	"	"
Middle of Eclipse	3.29	"	"	"
Moon leaves Shadow	5.03	"	"	"
" " Penumbra	6.13	"	"	"

At the middle of the eclipse, eight-tenths of the moon's surface will be covered. The eclipse will then be visible to all that half of the world of which the central spot is a point on the equator south of Sandwich Islands.

2. A partial eclipse of the moon, partially visible in the United States September 13.

	H. M.			
Moon enters Penumbra	4.23	Evening.	Charleston time.	
" " Shadow	5.37	"	"	"
Middle of Eclipse	7.07	"	"	"
Moon leaves Shadow	8.36	"	"	"
Moon leaves Penumbra	9.50	"	"	"

Greatest portion of moon's surface eclipsed seven-tenths. As the moon does not rise here until after it enters the shadow, it will rise eclipsed, and in some parts of our country under favorable circumstances, there may be seen a rather unusual spectacle—the moon having eclipsed in the east before the sun has entirely disappeared in the west. The middle of this eclipse will be visible to that half of the globe of which the central spot is the Gulf of Guinea.

The time of any phase of these lunar eclipses may be found for any other place by simply adding 4 minutes for every degree of difference between the longitude of the place and that of Charleston, where it is east, and subtracting 4 minutes for every degree where the place is west of Charleston.

OCCULTATIONS.

As the moon's path lies in a part of the sky that is crowded with stars, it is a very common occurrence for it to pass over, or eclipse, a star. The stars so eclipsed are usually small, and being overpowered by the light of the moon, these occultations have no popular interest. Occasionally a planet, or star of the first magnitude, is covered by the moon, and then it attracts some attention. During this year Venus will be eclipsed several times, and Mars once by the Moon; but, in all these cases, the planets will be below our horizon at the time. The bright star, Aldebaran (Southern eye of the Bull), will be eclipsed (or to some places it will only be a near conjunction) on the following nights: February 12, evening; November 13, morn, visible by us.

MOVEABLE FEASTS.

Septuagesima Sunday	Feb. 17	Rogation Sunday	May 26
Quinquagesima Sunday	March 3	Ascension Day	May 30
Ash Wednesday	March 6	Pentecost	June 9
Palm Sunday	April 14	Trinity Sunday	June 16
Easter Sunday	April 21	Advent Sunday	Dec. 1

Ember weeks are those beginning March 10, June 9, September 15, and December 15. The Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday in these weeks are ember days. The Movable Feasts are regulated by Easter. Easter Sunday "is the first Sunday after the Full Moon, which happens upon or next after the twenty-first day of March." It moves about in the year from March 22, earliest possible, to April 25, latest possible date.

THE PLANETS.

Mercury will be farthest from the Sun in the evening sky, March 9, July 6, October 31. It will be farthest from the Sun in the morning sky, April 22, August 21, December 9. Perhaps at some of these times it may be seen just before the Sun rises or after it sets.

Venus is morning star until September 25. It is farthest from the Sun February 20, when it rises more than three hours before him. This planet, however, is brightest a short time before this, about middle of January, when, perhaps, it may be seen in the day time.

Mars is finely situated for observation early in the year, being in opposition to the Sun January 10. It is then in the Constellation Gemini, very near Pollux. In the closing month's of the year, it is too near the Sun to be seen well. Venus and Mars are very near each other November 14.

Jupiter is in the Constellation Capricornus in January, and sets nearly two hours behind the Sun early in the month. In the latter part of February it passes into Aquarius, where it remains for the rest of the year. Jupiter and Venus are very near together March 31.

SATURN is in the Constellation Libra all the year. In March and following months, it may be seen in the evening. It is on the meridian at midnight, May 11. In November it passes the Sun and is seen in the morning.

URANUS is in Gemini, not far from the spot where it was discovered by the elder Herschel on the night of 13th March, 1781, having lately finished its first revolution since then. Uranus stays in one Constellation about seven years.

NOTES OF THE PLANETS ON THE FIRST OF EACH MONTH.

		Souths.	Rises or Sets.			Souths.	Rises or Sets.
		H. M.	H. M.			H. M.	H. M.
Jan'y 1.....	Venus	10.00 M	R. 4.45 M	July 1.....	Venus	10.24 M	R. 3.24 M
"	Mars	1.00 M	R. 6.50 A		Mars	3.51 A	S. 10.17 A
"	Jupiter.....	1.56 A	S. 7.07 A		Jupiter.....	4.00 M	R. 10.24 A
"	Saturn.....	8.34 M	R. 3.17 M		Saturn.....	8.21 A	S. 1.40 M
Feb'y 1.....	Venus	9.02 M	R. 4.00 M	Aug. 1.....	Venus	11.05 M	R. 4.04 M
"	Mars	10.10 A	S. 6.27 M	"	Mars	3.00 A	S. 9.05 A
"	Jupiter.....	12.21 A	S. 5.35 A	"	Jupiter.....	1.54 M	R. 8.17 A
"	Saturn.....	6.40 M	R. 1.25 M	"	Saturn.....	6.19 A	S. 11.42 A
March 1.....	Venus ...	9.06 M	R. 3.00 M	Sept. 1.....	Venus	11.38 M	R. 5.06 M
"	Mars	8.16 A	S. 3.37 M	"	Mars	2.10 A	S. 7.57 A
"	Jupiter.....	10.57 M	R. 5.37 M	"	Jupiter.....	11.33 A	S. 5.01 M
April 1.....	Venus	9.24 M	R. 3.46 M	"	Saturn.....	4.21 A	S. 9.40 A
"	Mars	6.49 A	S. 2.55 M	Oct. 1.....	Venus	11.57 M	R. 6.05 M
"	Jupiter.....	9.22 M	R. 4.00 M	"	Mars	1.25 A	S. 6.50 A
	Saturn.....	2.50 M	R. 9.33 A	"	Jupiter.....	9.23 A	S. 3.18 M
May 1.....	Venus	9.38 M	R. 3.38 M	"	Saturn.....	2.33 A	S. 7.50 A
"	Mars	5.45 A	S. 12.45 M	Nov. 1.....	Venus	12.22 M	R. 5.36 M
"	Jupiter.....	7.41 M	R. 2.10 M	"	Mars	12.50 A	S. 6.00 A
"	Saturn.....	12.40 M	R. 7.23 A	"	Jupiter.....	7.18 A	S. 12.44 M
June 1.....	Venus	9.55 M	R. 3.21 M	"	Saturn.....	12.45 A	S. 6.00 A
"	Mars	4.46 A	S. 12.13 M	Dec. 1.....	Venus	1.10 A	S. 8.17 A
"	Jupiter.....	5.57 M	R. 12.22 M	"	Mars	12.23 A	R. 7.23 M
"	Saturn.....	10.30 A	R. 5.10 A	"	Jupiter.....	5.30 A	S. 10.57 A
				"	Saturn.....	11.02 M	R. 6.00 M

To find the places of Mars, Jupiter or Saturn, on any intermediate day, it will be nearly correct to calculate that they south, rise or set, *four* minutes earlier each day.

PHASES OF THE MOON DURING 1867.

MONTH.	NEW.	FIRST QR.	FULL.	LAST QR.	NEW.
	D. H. M.	D. H. M.	D. H. M.	D. H. M.	D. H. M.
Jannary	5 7.10 A	13 11.14 M	20 2.15 M	27 9.28 M	
February	4 0.56 A	11 8.21 A	18 2.21 A	26 6.13 M	
March	6 4.18 M	13 3.28 M	20 3.36 M	28 2.26 M	
April	4 4.44 A	11 10.50 M	18 5.46 A	26 8.41 A	
May	4 2.21 M	10 4.45 A	18 8.33 M	26 0.02 A	
June	2 9.53 M	9 1.18 M	16 11.35 M	25 0.09 M	
July	1 4.29 A	8 0.12 A	16 2.36 A	24 9.16 M	30 11.23 A
August		7 1.49 M	15 5.18 M	22 4.03 A	29 7.45 M
September		5 6.11 A	13 7.14 A	20 9.45 A	27 6.22 A
October		5 0.57 A	13 8.05 M	20 3.57 M	27 7.43 M
November		4 9.08 M	11 7.50 A	18 11.41 M	25 11.51 A
December		4 5.01 M	11 6.50 M	17 10.15 A	25 6.19 A

☞ *All full Moon's fall between the* 10*th and* 20*th of every month this year.*

These phases are repeated under the head of each month. They are given here at one view for the convenience of those who wish to consult them to form their guesses with regard to the weather. The following rules are, considered important by some. Our readers may test their value by experience.

TABLE FOR FORETELLING THE WEATHER

THROUGH ALL THE LUNATIONS OF EACH YEAR.

This Table and the accompanying remarks are the result of many years' actual observation; the whole being constructed on a due consideration of the attraction of the Sun and Moon, in their several positions respecting the Earth, and will, by simple inspection, show the observer what kind of weather will most probably follow the entrance of the Moon into any of its quarters, and that so near the truth as to be seldom found to fail.

If the New Moon, the first quarter, the Full Moon, or the last quarter happens.	IN SUMMER.	IN WINTER.
Between midnight and 2 in the morning.	Fair.	Hard frost, unless the wind be south or west.
..... 2 and 4 morning.	Cold, frequent showers.	Snow and stormy.
..... 4 and 6 "	Rain.	Rain.
..... 6 and 8 "	Wind and Rain.	Stormy.
..... 8 and 10 "	Changeable.	Cold rain, if wind be west, Snow, if east.
..... 10 and 12 "	Frequent showers.	Cold and high wind.
At 12 o'clock at noon, and 2, P. M.	Very rainy.	Snow or rain.
Between 2 and 4, P. M.	Changeable.	Fair and mild.
..... 4 and 6, P. M.	Fair.	Fair.
..... 6 and 8, "	Fair, if wind north-west.	Fair and frosty if wind north or north-east.
	Rainy, if south, or S. W.	Rain or snow if S. or S. W.
..... 8 and 10, "	Ditto.	Ditto.
..... 10 and midnight.	Fair.	Fair and frosty.

Observations.—The nearer the time of the Moon's change to noon or midnight, the more nearly will the result accord with the prediction.

It is also said that less dependence is to be placed on the Table in Winter than in Summer.

SYMBOLS OF THE PLANETS, &c.

☉ Sun.	♂ Mars.
☾ Moon.	♃ Jupiter.
☿ Mercury.	♄ Saturn.
♀ Venus.	♅ Uranus.
	♆ Neptune.

☌ Conjunction in the same degree or sign, or having the same Longitude or Right Ascension.

□ Quadrature or 90° apart.

☍ Opposition, when six signs distant, or differing 180° in Longitude or Right Ascension.

N.	North.	W.	West.
S.	South.	E.	East.
M.	Morning.	A.	Afternon.
°	Degrees.	H.	Hours.
′	Minutes of Arc.	M.	Minutes of Time.
″	Seconds of Arc.	S.	Seconds of Time.
☊	Ascending Node.		
☋	Descending Node.		

THE SIGNS OF THE ZODIAC AND THE PARTS OF THE BODY THAT EACH SIGN WAS ONCE SUPPOSED TO GOVERN.

♈ Aries, the Ram, governs the Head and Face.

♉ Taurus, the Bull, governs the Neck.

♊ Gemini, the Twins, govern the Arm.

♋ Cancer, the Crab, governs the Breast.

♌ Leo, the Lion, governs the Heart.

♍ Virgo, the Virgin, gogoverns the Bowels.



♎ Libra, the Balance, governs the Reins.

♏ Scorpio, the Scorpian, governs the Secrets.

♐ Sagitarius, the Archer, governs the Thighs.

♑ Capricornus, the Goat, governs the Knees.

♒ Aquarius, the Waterman, governs the Legs.

♓ Pisces, the Fishes, govern the Feet.

JEWISH CALENDAR,

For parts of the year 5627 *and* 5628 *Annus Mundi* (*chronology of the received Hebrew text of the Old Testament*), *corresponding to the year* 1867.

The year 5627 is an intercalary year, containing 13 months or 385 days.

Hebrew Months.	*Festivals and Fasts.*	*Corr. Cal. Days.*
Tebeth 24		January 1
Shebat 1		" 7
Adar 1		February 5
Veadar 1		March 8
" 13	Fast of Esther	" 20
" 14	Purim or Feast of Esther	" 21
Nisan 1		April 6
Nisan 15 and 16	Passover 1st and 2d day	April 20 and 21
" 22 and 23	Passover 7th and 8th day	" 26 and 27
Jyar 1		May 5
Sivan 1		June 4
" 6 and 7	Pentecost	June 9 and 10
Tamus 1		July 4
" 17	Fast of Tamus	" 20
Ab 1		August 2
" 9	Fast of Ab	" 10
Ellul 1		" 31
Tishri 1	New Year	Sept. 30
" 2	New Year	October 1
" 3	Fast of Gedaliah	" 2
" 10	Day of Atonement	" 9
" 15	First and Second Day of Feast of Tabernacles	" 14
" 16	First and Second Day of Feast of Tabernacles	" 15
" 22	8th and 9th day of Tabernacles	" 21
" 23	8th and 9th day of Tabernacles	" 22
Marheshvan 1		" 30
Kislev 1		Nov. 29
" 25	Hanuka, or Feast of Lights	Dec. 23
Tebeth 1		" 28

NOTE.—Of the foregoing Festivals, only five are observed as strictly as the Sabbath, viz.: Passover Pentecost, New Year, Day of Atonement (a holy fast), and the Feast of Tabernacles.

1st Month.
31 days.
Begins Tuesday.



Sun enters Aquarius 21st day, 5h. 57m. morning.

Gardener's Calendar for January.

Plant peas, beans, beets, onions, and eschalots, Irish potatoes, and horseradish.—Sow Dutch turnips, cabbages, spinage, lettuce. radishes, parsley, carrots, and salsify.—Plant only early peas, and a few Irish potatoes.—Artichokes must now be dressed, also asparagus beds; and this is the proper time to make hot-beds for sowing early spring tomatoes, cucumbers, etc.

Day of Year.	Day of Month.	Day of Week.	SUN Rises.	SUN Sets.	Equation of time to be added.	Aspects, Events, &c.	MOON Rises.	MOON Age at noon.	MOON Place.	MOON Phase.	MOON South.	High Water.
					M.							
1	1	Tu.	7 3	5 5	4	New Year's Day.	morn.	25 3	♏		8 39m	4 24a
2	2	W.	3	6	4	☽ in apogee.	4 1m	26 3	♐	New.	9 27	5 17
3	3	Th.	3	6	5	☿☌☾. ☿☌☾.	4 49	27 3	♐	5th day	10 13	6 3
4	4	F.	3	7	5	♃ sets 52 m. after 6.	5 43	28 3	♑	7h 10m	11 1	6 45
5	5	S.	3	8	5	♄ sets 37 m. after 10.	sets.	29 3	♑	aftern'n.	11 49	7 29
6	6	**S.**	7 4	9	6	**Epiphany.** 5	6 1s	7	♑		37a	8 10
7	7	M.	4	10	6	☌♃☾.	6 56	1 7	♒		1 25	8 46
8	8	Tu.	4	10	6		7 49	2 7	♒		2 13	9 29
9	9	W.	4	11	7		8 47	3 7	♒	First	3 0	10 8
10	10	Th.	4	12	8	Mars on meridian at midnight.	9 45	4 7	♓	Quart'r	3 47	10 50
11	11	F.	4	13	8		10 43	5 7	♓	13th day	4 34	11 36
12	12	S.	3	14	8		11 43	6 7	♈	11h 14m	5 22	morn.
13	13	**S.**	3	15	9	**1st Sun. after Epiph.** 13	morn.	7 7	♈	morning	6 12	12 28
14	14	M.	3	16	9	Aldebaran S. 8h. 53m.	0 48	8 7	♉		7 5	1 27
15	15	Tu.	3	16	9	Pleiades (7 Stars) S. 7h. 50m. eve.	1 53	9 7	♉		8 1	2 30
16	16	W.	3	17	10	Venus (Morning Star) brightest.	2 51	10 7	♊		9	3 39
17	17	Th.	3	18	10		4 2	11 7	♊	Full.	10	4 48
18	18	F.	2	19	10	Capella south 9h. 15m. eve.	5 5	12 7	♋	20th day	11 2	5 50
19	19	S.	2	20	11	☉☌☾. ☽ in apogee.	rises.	13 7	♋	2h 16m	morn.	6 46
20	20	**S.**	2	21	11	**2d Sun. after Epiph.** 20	6 5a	14 7	♌	morning	12 2	7 40
21	21	M.	1	22	11	Sirius south 10h. 37m.	7 11	15 7	♌		1	8 27
22	22	Tu.	1	23	12		8 15	16 7	♍		1 55	9 12
23	23	W.	1	24	12	Orion on meridian 9h. eve.	9 17	17 7	♍		2 46	9 57
24	24	Th.	0	25	12		10 19	18 7	♎	Last	3 35	10 42
25	25	F.	0	26	12	Conversion of St. Paul.	11 11	19 7	♎	Quart'r	4 22	11 29
26	26	S.	6 59	27	13	Spica south 5h. morn.	morn.	20 7	♎	27th day	5 7	12 10a
27	27	**S.**	59	28	13	**3d Sun. after Epiph.** 27	12 8	21 7	♏	9h 27m	5 52	1 2
28	28	M.	58	29	13	☉☌♄☾.	1 2	22 7	♏	morning	6 37	1 56
29	29	Tu.	58	30	13		1 55	23 7	♐		7 22	2 54
30	30	W.	57	31	13	☌ south 10h. 20m. eve.	2 47	24 7	♐		8 9	3 49
31	31	Th.	56	32	14	☉☌☾.	3 37	25 7	♑		8 56	4 44

Astronomical Remarks.

Orion, Taurus, and Auriga, on the meridian at 9 P.M. at the middle of the month. The most brilliant constellations are visible now.

Plantation Work for January.

This is the month for preparing your planting-land for the next crop; but this work should always be commenced as soon as the last crop is harvested.—In the low country, if mud, marsh, or rushes are used, this is a good time to haul out and spread in the alleys, and upon it a light listing.—Repair fences; plough, ditch, drain, and manure.—You can sow oats for a first crop.

2d Month.
28 days.
Begins Friday.



Sun enters Pisces 18th day, 8h. 31m. evening.

Gardener's Calendar for February.

Continue to sow peas, and such vegetables as were omitted in January. Plant pole beans, first crop; full crop Irish potatoes, beets, and carrots; dress artichokes and asparagus.

Tomatoes, peppers, and cucumbers sow in hot-bed; put out mangoes.

Day of Year.	Day of Month.	Day of Week.	SUN Rises.	SUN Sets.	Equat. of time to be added.	Aspects, Events, &c.	MOON Rises.	MOON Age at Noon.	MOON Place.	MOON Phase.	MOON South.	High Water.
					M.							
32	1	F.	6 56	5 33	14	Aldebaran south 7h. 42m.	4 26m	26 7	♑		9 44m	5 34a
33	2	S.	55	34	14	Purification of Virgin Mary.	5 12	27 7	♑	New.	10 32	6 19
34	3	S.	54	34	14	4th Sunday after Epiphany.	5 56	28 7	♒	4th day,	11 20	7 3
35	4	M.	54	35	14	☌☿☾. ☌♃☾.	sets.	29 7	♒	12h 56m	12 9a	7 47
36	5	Tu.	53	36	14		6 42	1	♓	after'n.	12 57	8 24
37	6	W.	52	37	14		7 40	2	♓		1 44	9 2
38	7	Th.	51	38	14	☌☿♃.	8 40	3	♓		2 32	9 44
39	8	F.	50	39	14	☌♆☾.	9 40	4	♈	First	3 20	10 25
40	9	S.	50	40	14	Sirius south 9 evening.	10 40	5	♈	Quart'r	4 10	11 12
41	10	S.	49	41	14	5th Sunday after Epiphany.	11 39	6	♉	11th day	5 1	morn.
42	11	M.	48	42	14	☌☿☉ sup.	morn.	7	♉	8h 20m	5 55	12 4
43	12	Tu.	47	43	14	□♄☉.	0 46	8	♊	after'n.	6 50	1 6
44	13	W.	46	44	14		1 49	9	♊		7 48	2 12
45	14	Th.	45	44	14		2 52	10	♋		8 47	3 23
46	15	F.	44	45	14	☌♂☾. ☽ in perigee.	3 51	11	♋	Full.	9 46	4 34
47	16	S.	43	46	14	♂ stationary.	4 45	12	♌	18th day	10 44	5 36
48	17	S.	42	47	14	Septuagesima Sunday.	5 38	13	♌	2h 21m	11 39	6 30
49	18	M.	41	48	14		rises.	14	♍	after'n.	morn.	7 19
50	19	Tu.	40	49	14	Regulus S. midnight.	6 58	15	♍		12 32	8 5
51	20	W.	39	50	14	☿ gt. elong. W. 46° 48′.	8 0	16	♎		1 23	8 46
52	21	Th.	38	50	14		8 57	17	♎	Last	2 11	9 25
53	22	F.	37	51	14	Washington born, 1732.	9 51	18	♎	Quart'r	2 58	10 6
54	23	S.	36	52	14	Sirius south 8h. 27m. ev.	10 47	19	♏	26th day	3 44	10 48
55	24	S.	35	53	13	Sexagesima Sunday.	11 49	20	♏	6h 13m	4 30	11 32
56	25	M.	34	54	13	☌♄☾.	morn.	21	♐	morning	5 16	12 20a
57	26	Tu.	32	55	13	Castor south 9 even.	0 39	22	♐		6 2	1 14
58	27	W.	31	55	13	Rigel (Orion) S. 6 40 ev.	1 31	23	♐		6 49	2 10
59	28	Th.	30	56	12	☽ in apogee.	2 16	24	♑		7 36	3 8

Astronomical Remarks.

Canis Major and Gemini on the meridian at 9 P. M. in the middle of the month.

Castor (in Gemini) is immediately over the zenith of Charleston, 9h. 2m. P. M., February 26, its declination being very nearly equal to the latitude of the city.

Plantation Work for February.

This is considered the opening month of the planter's year. Continue preparing as in January. Sow oats for a full crop in the low country; plant Irish potatoes; make up sprout bed for sweet potatoes; plant root crop of sweet potatoes.

3d Month.
31 days.
Begins Friday.



Sun enters Aries 20th day, 8h. 19m. evening.

Gardener's Calendar for March.

Plant bush squash, pumpkins, water and musk melons, okra, Guinea squash or egg-plant, sugar-beets, carrots, beans, peas, radishes, lettuce, corn, celery (first crop), tanyahs, and mungoes.

Day of Year.	Day of Month.	Day of Week.	SUN Rises.	SUN Sets.	SUN Equat. of time to be added.	Aspects, Events, &c.	MOON Rises.	MOON Age at Noon.	MOON Place.	MOON Phase.	MOON South.	High Water.
					M.							
60	1	F.	6 28	5 58	13	☌☿☾.	3 11	25	♑		8 24m	4 8a
61	2	S.	27	59	12		3 50	26	♑	New.	9 13	5 2
62	3	**S.**	25	59	12	**Quinquagesima Sunday.**	4 32	27	♒	6th day,	10 1	5 51
63	4	M.	24	6 0	12	♄ stationary. ☌♃☾.	5 13	28	♒	4h 18m	10 49	6 34
64	5	Tu.	23	1	12	☉ eclipsed, invisible in So. Ca.	sets.	29	♓	morning	11 38	7 19
65	6	W.	22	2	11	**Ash Wednesday.**	6 32	3	♓		12 26a	7 59
66	7	Th.	20	2	11	☌☿☾. 6	7 31	1 3	♈		1 16	8 40
67	8	F.	19	3	11	Twilight short about this time.	8 33	2 3	♈		2 6	9 22
68	9	S.	18	4	11	☿ greatest elongation E 18°.	9 37	3 3	♉	First	2 58	10 6
69	10	**S.**	16	5	10	**1st Sunday in Lent.**	10 40	4 3	♉	Quart'r	3 51	10 53
70	11	M.	15	5	10	Pointers (Gt. Br.) on mer. at mid.	11 44	5 3	♊	13th day	4 46	11 49
71	12	Tu.	14	6	10	☾ Sirius south, 7 evening.	morn.	6 3	♊	3h 27m	5 43	morn.
72	13	W.	13	7	10	☽ in perigee. 13	0 47	7 3	♊	morning	6 41	12 50
73	14	Th.	11	8	9	☌♂☾.	1 44	8 3	♋		7 38	2 2
74	15	F.	10	8	9	Regulus south, 10h. 30m.	2 39	9 3	♋	Full.	8 35	3 11
75	16	S.	9	9	9	☿ stationary.	3 29	10 3	♌	20th day	9 30	4 20
76	17	**S.**	7	10	8	**2d Sunday in Lent.**	4 16	11 3	♌	3h 36m	10 22	5 20
77	18	M.	6	11	8	Days and nights nearly equal.	4 55	12 3	♍		11 13	6 10
78	19	Tu.	5	12	8		rises.	13 3	♍		morn.	6 55
79	20	W.	4	13	8	☾ ecl., vis. in So. Ca.	6 46	14 3	♎		12 2	7 40
80	21	Th.	2	13	7	Sun ent. ♈. Spr. beg. 20	7 42	15 3	♎		12 49	8 18
81	22	F.	1	14	7	☌♄☾.	8 39	16 3	♏	Last	1 36	8 57
82	23	S.	6 0	14	7		9 34	17 3	♏	Quart'r	2 22	9 36
83	24	**S.**	5 58	15	6	**3d Sunday in Lent.**	10 27	18 3	♏	28th day	3 8	10 16
84	25	M.	57	15	6		11 20	19 3	♐	2h 26m	3 55	10 57
85	26	Tu.	56	16	6	☌☿☉ inferior. ☽ in apogee.	morn.	20 3	♐	morning	4 42	11 45
86	27	W.	54	17	5		0 11	21 3	♑		5 29	12 36a
87	28	Th.	53	17	5	Pleiades set, 10 even.	0 57	22 3	♑		6 6	1 18
88	29	F.	52	18	5	28	1 43	23 3	♑		7 4	2 28
89	30	S.	50	18	5		2 27	24 3	♒		7 52	3 30
90	31	**S.**	49	18	4	**4th Sunday in Lent.** ☌♀♃.	3 7	25 3	♒		8 39	4 24

Astronomical Remarks.

Cancer and Ursa Major (partly) on the meridian at 9 P.M. in the middle of the month. The longest day in the most southern part of the United States is about fourteen hours; in the most northern part, about sixteen hours.

Plantation Work for March.

This is the first planting month for cotton, corn, and rice. Plant your high lands first; leave the low lands for April. Rice plant about the 20th of the month.

4th Month.
30 days.
Begins Monday.



Sun enters Taurus 20th day, 8h. 18m. morning.

Gardener's Calendar for April.

Whatever has been omitted in March do not neglect any longer. Sow green glazed cabbage, pickling cabbage, full crop of cauliflower and broccoli, okra, tomatoes, peppers, beets, carrots, leeks, melons, cucumbers, celery.

Day of Year.	Day of Month.	Day of Week.	SUN Rises.	SUN Sets.	Equat. of time to be added.	Aspects, Events, &c.	MOON Rises.	MOON Age at Noon.	MOON Place.	MOON Phase.	MOON South.	High Water.
					M.							
91	1	M.	5 48	6 20	4	☌♃☾. ☌♀☾.	3 46m	26 3	♓		9 27m	5 17a
92	2	Tu.	46	21	4		4 23	27 3	♓	New.	10 16	6 4
93	3	W.	45	22	3	☌☿☾.	5 2	28 3	♈	4th day.	11 5	6 49
94	4	Th.	44	22	3		sets.	29 3	♈	4h 44m	11 56	7 34
95	5	F.	42	23	3	Fast-day of S.C. Conf. Reg. south, 9h 8m ev. 4	7 21	8	♈	evening.	12 48a	8 13
96	6	S.	41	24	2		8 27	1 8	♉		1 42	9 0
97	7	S.	40	25	2	5th Sunday in Lent.	9 32	2 8	♉		2 39	9 51
98	8	M.	39	25	2	☿ stationary. ☽ perigee.	10 37	3 8	♊		3 37	10 42
99	9	Tu.	37	26	2		11 40	4 8	♊	First Quart'r	4 36	11 38
100	10	W.	36	27	1		morn.	5 8	♋	11th day	5 34	morn.
101	11	Th.	35	27	1	☌♂☾. 11	0 36	6 8	♋	9h 49m	6 31	12 41
102	12	F.	34	28	1		1 29	7 8	♌	morning	7 25	1 50
103	13	S.	32	29	1		2 4	8 8	♌		8 18	2 57
104	14	S.	31	29	0	6th Sun. in Lent. Palm Sun.	2 57	9 8	♍		9 8	3 58
105	15	M.	30	30	subt.	□♂☉. [and Annun. of V. Mary.	3 37	10 8	♍		9 56	4 56
106	16	Tu.	29	31	0	Days 1 hr. longer than at equin.	4 13	11 8	♎	Full.	10 43	5 46
107	17	W.	28	32	0		4 49	12 8	♎	18th day	11 30	6 28
108	18	Th.	26	32	1	♂ in aphelion. 18	5 24	13 8	♎	5h 46m	morn.	7 11
109	19	F.	25	33	1	Good Friday.	rises.	14 8	♏	evening.	12 16	7 51
110	20	S.	24	34	1	☌♄ ☾. Easter Eve.	8 14a	15 8	♏		1 2	8 29
111	21	S.	23	35	1	Easter Sunday.	9 10	16 8	♐		1 48	9 6
112	22	M.	22	35	2	East. Mon. ☿ gt. elong. W. 27°.	10 2	17 8	♐	Last	2 35	9 47
113	23	Tu.	21	36	2	Easter Tuesday. ☽ in apogee.	10 52	18 8	♐	Quart'r	3 22	10 27
114	24	W.	20	36	2		11 40	19 8	♑	26th day	4 10	11 12
115	25	Th.	19	37	2	7 Stars set about 9 eve. 26	morn.	20 8	♑	8h 41m	4 57	12 1a
116	26	F.	18	38	2		0 21	21 8	♒	evening.	5 44	12 54
117	27	S.	17	39	2	Great fire in Charleston, 1838.	1 2	22 8	♒		6 31	1 50
118	28	S.	16	40	3	1st Sunday after Easter.	1 43	23 8	♒		7 18	2 46
119	29	M.	15	41	3	☌♃☾.	2 20	24 8	♓		8 5	3 43
120	30	Tu.	14	41	3		2 57	25 8	♓		8 53	4 41

Astronomical Remarks.

Leo and Ursa Major on the meridian at 9 P. M. in the middle of the month.

The following bright stars pass near the zenith of Charleston:—Castor, Capella, Aldebaran, Algol, Arietis, Mirach, Alpheritz, Lyra, Arcturus.

Plantation Work for April.

All full crops of corn, cotton, and rice should be put in during this month. Plant your low-land corn. Commence early to hoe your young cotton, and thin out to a stand. Plant pumpkins for a field crop.

5th Month.
31 days.
Begins Wednesday.



Sun enters Gemini 21st day, 8h. 20m. morning.

Gardener's Calendar for May.

Plant snap beans, squashes. Sow cabbages for winter use (home-seed), cauliflower and broccoli, celery, beets, carrots, and salsify. Cucumbers, melons, pumpkins for a late crop.

Gather herbs for drying; always dry gently in the shade.

Plants for distilling cut when in full growth, just as they begin to flower, and always select a dry day.

Day of Year.	Month.	Week.	SUN Rises.	Sets.	Equat. of time to be subtract'd	Aspects, Events, &c.	MOON Rises.	Age at noon.	Place.	Phase.	South.	High Water.
					M.							
121	1	W.	5 13	6 41	3	☌☿☾.	3 40m	26 8	♈	New.	9 43m	5 33a
122	2	Th.	12	42	3	☌☿☾.	4 14	27 8	♈	4th day.	10 34	6 21
123	3	F.	11	43	3	☿ in aphelion.	4 54	28 8	♉	2h 21m	11 28	7 9
124	4	S.	10	43	3		sets.	4	♉	morning	12 25a	7 58
125	5	S.	9	44	3	2d Sun. after Easter. 4	8 30	1 4	♊		1 24	8 45
126	6	M.	8	45	4	[☽ in perigee.	9 35	2 4	♊		2 24	9 36
127	7	Tu.	8	45	4		10 34	3 4	♋	First	3 25	10 30
128	8	W.	7	46	4		11 30	4 4	♋	Quart'r	4 25	11 27
129	9	Th.	6	47	4	☌♂☾.	morn.	5 4	♌	10th day	5 21	morn.
130	10	F.	5	48	4		0 16	6 4	♌	4h 45m	6 15	12 24
131	11	S.	4	48	4	☽☌♄☉. 10	0 57	7 4	♍	evening.	7 6	1 30
132	12	S.	3	49	4	3d Sun. after Easter.	1 36	8 4	♍		7 55	2 30
133	13	M.	3	50	4		2 15	9 4	♍		8 41	3 33
134	14	Tu.	2	51	4		2 51	10 4	♎	Full.	9 27	4 27
135	15	W.	1	51	4	Fom. rises 2h. 45m. morning.	3 27	11 4	♎	18th day	10 12	5 17
136	16	Th.	0	52	4		4 0	12 4	♏	8h 33m	10 58	6 1
137	17	F.	0	53	4	☌♄☽.	4 35	13 4	♏	morning	11 44	6 42
138	18	S.	4 59	54	4		5 13	14 4	♐		morn.	7 24
139	19	S.	59	54	4	4th Sun. after Easter. 18	rises.	15 4	♐		12 31	8 4
140	20	M.	58	55	4		8 47a	16 4	♐		1 18	8 42
141	21	Tu.	57	56	4	☽ in apogee.	9 35	17 4	♑	Last	2 5	9 25
142	22	W.	56	56	4		10 18	18 4	♑	Quart'r	2 52	10 0
143	23	Th.	56	57	4	Spica south 9h. 12m.	11 1	19 4	♒	26th day	3 40	10 44
144	24	F.	56	58	3		11 40	20 4	♒	0h 2m	4 26	11 28
145	25	S.	56	58	3	[Rogation Sun.	morn.	21 4	♒	evening.	5 12	12 15a
146	26	S.	55	59	3	5th Sun. aft. Easter. 26	0 17	22 4	♓		5 59	1 11
147	27	M.	55 7	0	3	☌♃☾. □♃☉.	0 53	23 4	♓		6 45	2 6
148	28	Tu.	54	0	3	Arct. south 9h. 48m. ev.	1 28	24 4	♈		7 32	3 4
149	29	W.	54	1	3		2 7	25 4	♈		8 21	4 1
150	30	Th.	53	1	3	Ascension Day.	2 44	26 4	♉		9 13	5 2
151	31	F.	53	2	2	☌☿☾. ☌☿☉.	3 29	27 4	♉		10 7	5 57

Astronomical Remarks.

Virgo on the meridian at 9 P. M. in the middle of the month.

☞ To find length of any day, double the time of sunset.

Plantation Work for May.

Look well to your hoeings and ploughings. Continue to plant corn in low lands. Sow first crop of early (shinny) cow peas. Rice planting is generally postponed until June, as the birds are very bad in May, and the May bird exceedingly destructive.

6th Month.
30 days.
Begins Saturday.



Sun enters Cancer 21st day, 4h. 51m. evening.

Gardener's Calendar for June.

Sow full crop of cabbages for fall and winter use. Cauliflowers and broccoli may yet be sown, also a few carrots. Continue to sow tomatoes, okra radishes, snap beans. Transplant leeks; pull and dry onions, garlic, and eschalots. A few cucumbers and melons plant for a late crop, and a few ruta-baga turnip seeds.

Day of			SUN				MOON					High
Year.	Month.	Week.	Rises.	Sets.	Equat. of time to be subtracted	Aspects, Events, &c.	Rises.	Age at noon.	Place.	Phase.	South.	Water.
					M.							
152	1	S.	4 53	7 3	2	☿ in perihelion.	4 13m	28 4	♉	New.	11 5m	6 49a
153	2	**S.**	52	3	2	**1st Sun. after Ascen.**	sets.	0 1	♊	2d day	12 6a	7 44
154	3	M.	52	4	2	☌☿☾. ☽ in perigee. 2	8 15	1 1	♊	9h 53m	1 8	8 35
155	4	Tu.	52	4	2		9 14	2 1	♋	morning	2 11	9 25
156	5	W.	52	5	2	Scorpio on meridian 11 even.	10 6	3 1	♌		3 11	10 18
157	6	Th.	52	5	2	Antares south 11h. 22m. even.	10 53	4 1	♌		4 8	11 10
158	7	F.	51	6	2	☌☾.	11 36	5 1	♌	First	5 2	morn.
159	8	S.	51	6	1		morn.	6 1	♍	Quart'r	5 52	12 5
160	9	**S.**	51	7	1	**Whitsund. Pentecost.**	0 18	7 1	♍	9th day	6 40	1 4
161	10	M.	51	7	1	9	0 50	8 1	♎	1h 18m	7 26	2 1
162	11	Tu.	51	8	1		1 27	9 1	♎	morning	8 11	2 58
163	12	W.	51	8	1	Arcturus south 8h 59m. even.	2 2	10 1	♏		8 57	3 51
164	13	Th.	51	8	0	☌♄☾.	2 38	11 1	♏		9 42	4 45
165	14	F.	51	9	0		3 15	12 1	♏		10 28	5 32
166	15	S.	51	9	0		3 53	13 1	♐		11 15	6 15
167	16	**S.**	51	10		**Trinity Sunday.** 16	4 35	14 1	♐	Full.	morn.	6 58
168	17	M.	51	10	add	☽ in apogee.	rises.	15 1	♑	16th day	12 2	7 40
169	18	Tu.	51	10	1	Longest days. (14h. 20m.)	8 14	16 1	♑	11h 35m	12 49	8 19
170	19	W.	52	11	1		9 1	17 1	♑	evening.	1 37	8 58
171	20	Th.	52	11	1		9 41	18 1	♒		2 24	9 36
172	21	F.	52	11	1	☉ enters ♋. Summer begins.	10 18	19 1	♒		3 10	10 18
173	22	S.	52	11	2	Long twilights.	10 55	20 1	♓	Last	3 56	10 58
174	23	**S.**	52	11	2	**1st Sun. after Trinity.** ☌♃☾.	11 28	21 1	♓	Quart'r	4 41	11 44
175	24	M.	53	11	2	St. John Baptist.	morn.	22 1	♓	25th day	5 27	12 34a
176	25	Tu.	53	11	2	25	0 8	23 1	♈	0h 9m	6 14	1 30
177	26	W.	53	11	2		0 41	24 1	♈	morning	7 2	2 26
178	27	Th.	53	11	3	♃ stationary.	1 20	25 1	♉		7 54	3 32
179	28	F.	54	12	3	Battle of Fort Moultrie, 1776.	2 2	26 1	♉		8 48	4 36
180	29	S.	54	12	3		2 50	27 1	♊		9 46	5 36
181	30	**S.**	54	12	3	**2d Sun. after Trinity.** ☌♀☾.	3 45	28 1	♊		10 47	6 32

Astronomical Remarks.

Libra and Boötes on the meridian at 9 P.M. in the middle of the month.

The following Constellations pass over the zenith of Charleston—Gemini, Perseus, Andromeda, Pegasus, Cygnus, Lyra, Hercules, Boötes, Leo, Leo Minor.

Plantation Work for June.

Keep steadily at the plough and hoe; this is the important GRASS MONTH! If the vines from your sweet potato sprout-bed are fit, you can draw and plant out first good rain. Sow cow peas between your corn hills or rows. The end of the month is a good time to put in the first crop of standing field peas.

7th Month.
31 days.
Begins Monday.



Sun enters Leo 23d day, 10h. 24m. morning.

Gardener's Calendar for July.

Sow cabbages, but protect from hot sun when young.—Water at night.—Plant snap beans, and a few Irish potatoes.—Continue to sow radishes, lettuce, endive, cress, mustard, and small salading.—The early Dutch turnip is the best to sow for the first crop; follow with yellow Swedish or ruta baga.

Day of			SUN			Aspects, Events, &c.	MOON					High Water.
Year.	Month.	Week.	Rises.	Sets.	Equat. of time to be added.		Sets.	Age at noon.	Place.	Phase.	South.	
					M.							
182	1	M.	4 55	7 12	3		sets.	20 1	♑	NEW.	11 50m	7 30a
183	2	Tu.	55	12	3	☉ in apogee. 1	7 54	0 8	♑	1st day	12 53a	8 22
184	3	W.	56	12	3	☌☿☾.	8 44	1 8	♑	4h 29m	1 53	9 8
185	4	Th.	56	11	4	Declaration of Independ. 1776.	9 31	2 8	♑	evening.	2 50	10 0
186	5	F.	57	11	4	☌♂☾.	10 14	3 8	♑		3 44	10 48
187	6	S.	57	11	4	☿ greatest elongation E. 26°.	10 50	4 8	♑		4 35	11 37
188	7	**S.**	58	11	5	**3d Sunday after Trinity.**	11 28	5 8	♒	FIRST	5 23	morn.
189	8	M.	58	11	5		morn.	6 8	♒	QUART'R	6 9	12 30
190	9	Tu.	59	11	5	Arcturus S. 7h. even. 8	0 4	7 8	♏	8th day	6 55	1 21
191	10	W.	59	10	5	☽ in apogee.	0 39	8 8	♏	0h 12m	7 40	2 18
192	11	Th.	5 0	10	5	☌♄☾.	1 16	9 8	♏	evening.	8 26	3 35
193	12	F.	0	10	5		1 55	10 8	♐		9 12	4 11
194	13	S.	1	9	5		2 33	11 8	♐	FULL.	9 59	5 0
195	14	**S.**	1	9	6	**4th Sunday after Trinity.**	3 19	12 8	♑	16th day	10 47	5 49
196	15	M.	2	9	6	☿ in aphelion.	4 5	13 8	♑	2h 36m	11 34	6 32
197	16	Tu.	3	8	6	16	rises.	14 8	♑	evening.	morn.	7 15
198	17	W.	3	8	6		7 40	15 8	♒		12 21	7 56
199	18	Th.	4	7	6	Spica south 5h. 36m. evening.	8 20	16 8	♒		1 8	8 35
200	19	F.	5	7	6	☿ stationary.	8 55	17 8	♓	LAST	1 54	9 10
201	20	S.	5	6	6	☌♃☾.	9 31	18 8	♓	QUART'R	2 40	9 50
202	21	**S.**	6	6	6	**5th Sun. after Trin.**	10 5	19 8	♓	24th day	3 25	10 30
203	22	M.	7	5	6	♄ stationary. 24	10 43	20 8	♈	9h 26m	4 11	11 13
204	23	Tu.	7	5	6		11 18	21 8	♈	morning	4 58	12 1a
205	24	W.	8	4	6		morn.	22 8	♉		5 47	12 57
206	25	Th.	8	4	6	Antares south 8h. 7m. evening.	0 3	23 8	♉	NEW.	6 38	1 58
207	26	F.	9	3	6	☽ in perigee.	0 43	24 8	♊	30th day	7 33	3 5
208	27	S.	10	2	6		1 31	25 8	♊	11h 23m	8 30	4 15
209	28	**S.**	10	1	6	**6th Sunday after Trinity.**	2 27	26 8	♋	evening.	9 31	5 21
210	29	M.	11	1	6		3 28	27 8	♋		10 33	6 20
211	30	Tu.	12	0	6	☌♀☾.	4 33	28 8	♌		11 34	7 15
212	31	W.	12	6 59	6	☌☿☾. 30	sets.	5	♌		12 34a	8 7

Astronomical Remarks.

Scorpio and Hercules on the meridian at 9 P.M. in the middle of the month. Galveston (Texas) is just one hour west of Charleston.

Plantation Work for July.

Now do not omit to sow full crops of standing cow peas.—Sow a few turnips, carrots, and beets as field crops: though the hot suns are apt to destroy them, should they escape they will be fine; the next month is the best time for these crops.—Plant potato-vines.—Strip and cure fodder.

8th Month.
31 days.
Begins Thursday.



Sun enters Virgo 23d day, 10h. 24m. morning.

Gardener's Calendar for August.

Transplant all kinds of cabbage, cauliflower, and celery. Sow carrots and beets, turnips of all kinds, spinage, lettuce, radishes, onions.

Day of Year.	Month.	Week.	SUN Rises.	Sets.	Equat. of time to be added.	Aspects, Events, &c.	MOON Sets.	Age at noon.	Place.	Phase.	South.	High Water.
					M.							
213	1	Th.	5 13	6 58	6		8 6a	1 5	♍		1 30a	8 51a
214	2	F.	14	57	6	☌☿☉.	8 45	2 5	♍		2 23	9 36
215	3	S.	15	57	6	☌♂☾.	9 24	3 5	♎	First Quart'r	3 14	10 20
216	4	**S.**	15	56	6	**7th Sunday after Trinity.**	10 2	4 5	♎	7th day	4 2	11 4
217	5	M.	16	55	6		10 38	5 5	♎	1h 49m	4 50	11 53
218	6	Tu.	17	54	6		11 16	6 5	♏	morning	5 36	morn.
219	7	W.	17	53	6	☌♄☾. ☌☿♀. 7	11 57	7 5	♏		6 22	12 42
220	8	Th.	18	52	5		morn.	8 5	♐		7 8	1 39
221	9	F.	19	51	5		0 33	9 5	♐		7 56	2 32
222	10	S.	19	50	5	□♄☉. ☽ in apogee.	1 14	10 5	♑	Full.	8 42	3 34
223	11	**S.**	20	49	5	**8th Sunday after Trinity.**	2 2	11 5	♑	15th day	9 30	4 27
224	12	M.	21	48	5	☿ stationary.	2 48	12 5	♑	5h 18m	10 17	5 20
225	13	Tu.	21	47	5		3 40	13 5	♒	morning	11 5	6 5
226	14	W.	22	46	5	Lyra south 9 evening.	4 33	14 5	♒		11 52	6 49
227	15	Th.	23	45	4	15	5 28	15 5	♓		morn.	7 30
228	16	F.	24	44	4	☌♃☾	rises.	16 5	♓	Last Quart'r	12 38	8 11
229	17	S.	24	43	4		8 8	17 5	♓	22d day,	1 24	8 45
230	18	**S.**	25	42	4	**9th Sunday after Trinity.**	8 44	18 5	♈	4h 3m	2 10	9 25
231	19	M.	26	41	3		9 20	19 5	♈	evening.	2 57	10 5
232	20	Tu.	26	40	3		10 0	20 5	♉		3 45	10 49
233	21	W.	27	39	3	☿ gt. elong. W. 18°.	10 42	21 5	♉		4 34	11 36
234	22	Th.	28	37	3	22	11 31	22 5	♊		5 27	12 34a
235	23	F.	28	36	2		morn.	23 5	♊	New.	6 22	1 41
236	24	S.	29	35	2	♀ in perihelion.	0 16	24 5	♋	29th day	7 19	2 47
237	25	**S.**	30	34	2	**10th Sunday after Trinity.**	1 12	25 5	♋	7h 45m	8 18	3 58
238	26	M.	30	32	2	☌♃☉. ☽ in perigee.	2 13	26 5	♌	morning	9 18	5 6
239	27	Tu.	31	31	1		3 10	27 5	♌		10 17	6 5
240	28	W.	32	30	1	☌☿☾. ☉ecl. Invis. here.	4 26	28 5	♍		11 14	6 56
241	29	Th.	32	29	1	Altair S. 9h. 17m. ev. 29	sets.	2	♍		12 9a	7 47
242	30	F.	33	27	0		7 18	1 2	♍		1 1	8 28
243	31	S.	34	26	0	☌♂☾.	7 58	2 2	♎		1 52	9 8

Astronomical Remarks.

Aquila and Lyra on the meridian at 9 P. M. in the middle of the month.
Charleston is, in time, 35 minutes west of Boston, and 2h. 50m. east of San Francisco.

Plantation Work for August.

Now sow full crops of field turnips, carrots, and beets, and such crops as were omitted last month; strip fodder. Early rice will be fit to cut the latter end of this month: look to it. This is a good time to plant vines of the first slips, in order to procure seed potatoes for the next year's crop.

9th Month.
30 days.
Begins Sunday.



Sun enters Libra 23d day, 7h. 16m. morning.

Gardener's Calendar for September.

Now sow full crops of all kinds,—turnips, onions, carrots, beets, cabbages, lettuce, cresses. Look after your mushroom-beds. Hoe and thin your turnips.

Day of Year	Month	Week	SUN Rises	Sets	Equat. of time to be subtract'd	Aspects, Events, &c.	MOON Sets	Age at noon.	Place	Phase.	South.	High Water.
					M.							
244	1	**S.**	5 34	6 25	0	**11th Sunday after Trinity.**	8 35a	3 2	♎		2 40a	9 50a
245	2	M.	35	24	0		9 12	4 2	♏	First	3 28	10 33
246	3	Tu.	36	22	1	☌♄☾.	9 50	5 2	♏	Quart'r	4 15	11 17
247	4	W.	36	21	1		10 30	6 2	♐	5th day	5 2	morn.
248	5	Th.	37	20	1	5	11 12	7 2	♐	6h 11m	5 50	12 5
249	6	F.	37	19	2	Fast-day So. Ca. Confer. Fomal-	11 59	8 2	♐	evening.	6 37	1 0
250	7	S.	38	17	2	☽ in apogee. [haut S. 11h. 50m. e.	morn.	9 2	♑		7 24	1 56
251	8	**S.**	39	16	2	**12th Sunday after Trinity.**	0 44	10 2	♑		8 12	2 55
252	9	M.	39	14	2		1 33	11 2	♒		8 59	3 52
253	10	Tu.	40	13	3	☌☿♀.	2 24	12 2	♒		9 46	4 47
254	11	W.	41	12	3		3 20	13 2	♒	Full.	10 33	5 36
255	12	Th.	41	11	4	☌♃☾.	rises.	14 2	♓	13th day	11 19	6 20
256	13	F.	42	9	4	☾ ecl. Vis. over So. Ca. 13	6 8	15 2	♓	7h 14m	morn.	7 2
257	14	S.	43	8	4		6 44	16 2	♈	evening.	12 6	7 44
258	15	**S.**	43	6	5	**13th Sunday after Trinity.**	7 21	17 2	♈		12 53	8 20
259	16	M.	44	5	5	Dolphin (Job's Coffin) S. 9 eve.	7 59	18 2	♉		1 42	9 0
260	17	Tu.	45	4	5		8 40	19 2	♉		2 31	9 43
261	18	W.	45	3	6		9 25	20 2	♉	Last	3 23	10 28
262	19	Th.	46	1	6	Days and nights nearly equal.	10 15	21 2	♊	Quart'r	4 18	11 20
263	20	F.	46	0	6	20	11 7	22 2	♊	20th day	5 14	12 19a
264	21	S.	47	5 58	7		morn.	23 2	♋	9h 45m	6 11	1 26
265	22	**S.**	48	57	7	**14th Sunday after Trinity.**	0 5	24 2	♋	evening.	7 10	2 36
266	23	M.	48	56	8	☉ enters ♎. Autumn begins.	1 7	25 2	♌		8 7	3 45
267	24	Tu.	49	55	8	☽ in perigee.	2 12	26 2	♌		9 3	4 51
268	25	W.	50	53	8	☌♀☉.	3 13	27 2	♍	New.	9 57	5 47
269	26	Th.	50	52	9	[adopted by S. C. 1365.	4 20	28 2	♍	27th day	10 50	6 33
270	27	F.	51	50	9	☌♀☾. New Const. 27	5 23	29 2	♎	6h 22m	11 40	7 20
271	28	S.	51	49	9	☌ in ♉. ☌☽☾.	sets.	7	♎	evening.	12 30a	8 3
272	29	**S.**	52	48	10	**15th Sunday after Trinity.**	7 4	1 7	♏		1 17	8 41
273	30	M.	53	47	10		7 42	2 7	♏		2 6	9 22

Astronomical Remarks.

Capricornus and Delphinus on the meridian at 9 P.M. in the middle of the month.

The Stars most useful to sailors are the following, lying along the Moon's path:—Arietis, Aldebaran, Pollux, Regulus, Spica, Antares, Altair, Fomalhaut, Markab.

Plantation Work for September.

Continue to sow field turnips, carrots, and beets. Southern seed for this sowing is always better than the imported: those from the latter are apt to run to seed early in the spring, unless it be English seed. Prepare lands for sowing rye in October. Pick cotton; harvest corn.

10th Month.
31 days.
Begins
Tuesday.



Sun enters
Scorpio
23d day, 3h. 23m.
evening.

Gardener's Calendar for October.

You may make two sowings of cabbages this month, and, if of English seed, they will not "run" in the spring. Sow lettuce; hoe turnips, and thin; put out leeks and onions; sow principal crop of spinage; earth up celery.

Day of Year	Day of Month	Day of Week	SUN Rises	SUN Sets	Equat. of time to be subtracted	Aspects, Events, &c.	MOON Sets	MOON Age at noon	MOON Place	MOON Phase	MOON South	High Water
					M.							
274	1	Tu.	5 54	5 45	10	☋ ☌ ☾.	8 25a	3 7	♏		2 54a	10 3a
275	2	W.	54	44	11		9 4	4 7	♐		3 42	10 45
276	3	Th.	55	42	11	Dolphin (Job's Coffin) on merid.	9 49	5 7	♐	First Quart'r	4 29	11 31
277	4	F.	56	41	11		8 ev.	6 7	♑	5th day	5 17	morn.
278	5	S.	57	40	11	☽ in apogee.	10 37	7 7	♑	0h 57m	6 4	12 22
279	6	S.	57	39	12	16th Sun. after Trin.	11 25	8 7	♑	evening.	6 52	1 16
280	7	M.	58	37	12	Short twil. now (1h. 28m. long).	morn.	9 7	♒		7 38	2 14
281	8	Tu.	59	36	12		0 16	10 7	♒		8 25	3 12
282	9	W.	6 0	35	12	☋ ♃ ☾.	1 10	11 7	♓		9 11	3 59
283	10	Th.	0	34	13		2 2	12 7	♓	Full.	9 58	5 0
284	11	F.	1	32	13	☿ in aphelion.	2 58	13 7	♈	13th day	10 45	5 48
285	12	S.	2	31	13		3 57	14 7	♈	8h 5m	11 34	6 30
286	13	S.	3	30	13	17th Sun. after Trin.	4 55	15 7	♈	morning	morn.	7 14
287	14	M.	3	29	13	7 Stars rise 7 even.	5 57	16 7	♉		12 24	7 58
288	15	Tu.	4	27	14		rises.	17 7	♉		1 17	8 41
289	16	W.	5	26	14	Aldebaran S. 2h. 52m. morn.	7 22	18 7	♉	Last	2 11	9 26
290	17	Th.	6	25	14	☽ in perigee.	8 10	19 7	♊	Quart'r	3 8	10 16
291	18	F.	6	24	15		9 4	20 7	♊	20th day	4 6	11 8
292	19	S.	7	23	15	☋ ☿ ♂.	10 1	21 7	♋	3h 57m	5 5	12 8
293	20	S.	8	22	15	18th Sun. after Trin.	11 1	22 7	♋	morning	6 2	1 14
294	21	M.	9	21	15		morn.	23 7	♌		6 58	2 22
295	22	Tu.	9	20	15	Alpheritz south 9h. 56m. even.	0 5	24 7	♌		7 52	3 29
296	23	W.	10	18	16		1 8	25 7	♍	New.	8 43	4 30
297	24	Th.	11	17	16	♃ stationary.	2 11	26 7	♍	27th day	9 33	5 23
298	25	F.	12	16	16	☋ ☿ ♄.	3 12	27 7	♎	7h 43m	10 22	6 9
299	26	S.	12	15	16	Pointers (Gt. Bear) on horiz. 9 ev.	4 12	28 7	♎	morning	11 10	6 53
300	27	S.	13	14	16	19th Sun. after Trin.	5 12	29 7	♎		11 57	7 35
301	28	M.	14	13	16	☋ ♀ ☾. ☋ ♂ ☾. ☋ ♄ ☾.	6 12	2	♏		12 45a	8 15
302	29	Tu.	15	12	16	☋ ☿ ☾.	sets.	1 2	♏		1 33	8 54
303	30	W.	16	11	16		7 3	2 2	♐		2 21	9 35
304	31	Th.	17	10	16	☿ greatest elong. E. 23°.	7 46	3 2	♐		3 10	10 17
							8 32	4 2	♑			

Astronomical Remarks.

Aquarius and Pegasus on the meridian at 9 P. M. in the middle of the month.

☞ To find the length of any night, double the time of sunrise.

Plantation Work for October.

Continue picking your cotton as it blows. Sow early rye, wheat, barley. Dig your sweet potatoes when the weather becomes cool and you expect frost.

11th Month.
30 days.
Begins Friday.



Sun enters Sagittarius 22d day, 12h. 26m. evening.

Gardener's Calendar for November.

Sow your first crop of peas, and a few turnips. Plant out onions raised from seed in August and September. Plant Windsor and long-pod beans. Dress asparagus and artichokes.

Day of Year.	Month.	Week.	SUN Rises.	Sets.	Equat. of time to be subtract'd	Aspects, Events, &c.	MOON Sets.	Age at noon.	Place.	Phase.	South.	High Water.
					M.							
305	1	F.	6 17	5 9	16	All Saints Day.	9 16	5 2	♑		3 57	10 59a
306	2	S.	18	9	16	☽ in apogee.	10 6	6 2	♑	First	4 45	11 47
307	3	S.	19	8	16	20th Sunday after Trinity.	10 58	7 2	♒	Quart'r	5 31	morn.
308	4	M.	20	7	16		11 52	8 2	♒	4th day	6 17	12 38
309	5	Tu.	21	6	16	☌ ☿ ☾. 4	morn.	9 2	♓	9h 8m	7 3	1 29
310	6	W.	22	5	16		0 45	10 2	♓	morning	7 49	2 27
311	7	Th.	23	4	16	☌ ♀ ♄.	1 41	11 2	♓		8 35	3 21
312	8	F.	24	4	16		2 39	12 2	♈		9 22	4 20
313	9	S.	25	3	16		3 39	13 2	♈	Full.	10 12	5 12
314	10	S.	26	2	16	21st Sunday after Trinity.	4 40	14 2	♉	11th day	11 4	6 2
315	11	M.	26	1	16	☿ stationary.	5 45	15 2	♉	7h 50m	11 59	6 48
316	12	Tu.	27	1	16	11	rises.	16 2	♊	evening.		7 37
317	13	W.	28	0	16		6 49	17 2	♊		0 56m	8 23
318	14	Th.	29	0	15	☌ ☿ ♂. ☽ in perigee.	7 51	18 2	♋	Last	1 56	9 12
319	15	F.	30	4 59	15	☌ ☿ ♀. ☌ ☿ ♂.	8 52	19 2	♋	Quart'r	2 57	10 5
320	16	S.	31	58	15		9 56	20 2	♌	13th day	3 56	10 58
321	17	S.	32	58	15	22d Sunday after Trinity.	11 1	21 2	♌	11h 46m	4 54	11 57
322	18	M.	33	58	15		morn.	22 2	♍	morning	5 49	12 58a
323	19	Tu.	34	57	15	☌ ♄ ☉. 18	0 6	23 2	♍		6 41	2 0
324	20	W.	35	57	14		1 5	24 2	♍		7 31	3 3
325	21	Th.	35	56	14	□ ♃ ☉. ☌ ☿ ☉ inferior.	2 6	25 2	♎	New.	8 19	4 0
326	22	F.	36	56	14		3 3	26 2	♎	25th day	9 6	4 54
327	23	S.	37	56	14	☌ ☿ ♄.	4 2	27 2	♏	11h 52m	9 53	5 43
328	24	S.	38	56	13	23d Sunday after Trinity.	5 0	28 2	♏	evening.	10 40	6 27
329	25	M.	39	55	13	☌ ☿ ☾. ☌ ♄ ☾.	5 56	29 2	♐		11 27	7 11
330	26	Tu.	40	55	13	☌ ♂ ☾. 25	sets.	5	♐		0 15a	7 53
331	27	W.	41	55	12	☌ ♀ ☾.	6 23	1 5	♐		1 3	8 30
332	28	Th.	42	54	12		7 9	2 5	♑		1 51	9 7
333	29	F.	43	54	12	Orion on meridian at midnight.	7 58	3 5	♑		2 39	9 51
334	30	S.	44	54	11		8 49	4 5	♒		3 26	10 31

Astronomical Remarks.

Andromeda on the meridian at 9 P.M. in the middle of the month.

The following Constellations never go beneath the horizon at Charleston:—Little Bear, Draco, Cepheus, Camelopardalus, parts of Cassiopeia, and Great Bear.

Plantation Work for November.

Sow full crops of rye, barley, wheat, and other small grain. Harvest your sweet potatoes.

12th Month.
31 days.
Begins Sunday.



Sun enters Capricornus 22d day, 1h. 20m. morning.

Gardener's Calendar for December.

Plant peas of all kinds; set out onions, garlic, and eschalots, and cabbages.—Sow a few lettuce, spinage, carrots, and radishes.—You may try a few Irish potatoes.

Day of Year.	Day of Month.	Day of Week.	SUN Rises.	SUN Sets.	Equat. of time to be subtract'd	Aspects, Events, &c.	MOON Sets.	MOON Age at noon.	MOON Place.	Phase.	South.	High Water.
					M.							
335	1	**S.**	6 44	4 54	11	**1st Sunday in Advent.**	9 43	5 5	♒		4 12a	11 14a
336	2	M.	45	54	10	Venus, Evening Star, 1 hour be-	10 36	6 5	♒		4 57	morn.
337	3	Tu.	46	54	10	☌☿☾. [hind Sun. 4	11 30	7 5	♓	First Quart'r	5 42	12 1
338	4	W.	47	54	10		morn.	8 5	♓	4th day	6 27	12 50
339	5	Th.	48	54	9	Pleiades (7 Stars) S. 10h. 40m.	27	9 5	♈	5h 0m	7 12	1 46
340	6	F.	49	54	9	[evening.	1 20	10 5	♈	morning	7 59	2 38
341	7	S.	49	54	8		2 22	11 5	♉		8 49	3 37
342	8	**S.**	50	54	8	**2d Sunday in Advent.**	3 22	12 5	♉		9 41	4 35
343	9	M.	51	54	8	☿ Greatest elongation W. 21°.	4 27	13 5	♉		10 38	5 31
344	10	Tu.	52	54	7		5 35	14 5	♊	Full.	11 37	6 25
345	11	W.	52	55	7	Great fire in Charlest. 11	6 41	15 5	♊	11th day	morn	7 18
346	12	Th.	53	55	6	☌☌☾. ☽perigee. [1861	rises.	16 5	♋	6h 50m	12 39	8 12
347	13	F.	54	55	6	☽ higher when on merid. than	7 41	17 5	♋	morning	1 42	9 0
348	14	S.	54	55	5	Charl'ton evac. 1782. [dur. year.	8 47	18 5	♌		2 43	9 53
349	15	**S.**	55	56	5	**3d Sunday in Advent.**	9 55	19 5	♌	Last	3 41	10 44
350	16	M.	56	56	4		10 59	20 5	♍	Quart'r	4 36	11 38
351	17	Tu.	56	57	4	17	11 59	21 5	♍	17th day	5 28	12 35a
352	18	W.	57	57	3	Shortest days now.	morn.	22 5	♎	10h 15m	6 18	1 33
353	19	Th.	58	57	3		0 58	23 5	♎	evening.	7 5	2 29
354	20	F.	58	58	2		1 57	24 5	♏		7 52	3 30
355	21	S.	59	58	2	St. Thomas.	2 54	25 5	♏		8 38	4 23
356	22	**S.**	59	59	1	**4th Sunday in Advent.** Sun	3 49	26 5	♏		9 24	5 14
357	23	M.	59	59	1	[enters ♑. Winter begins.	4 45	27 5	♐	New.	10 12	6 2
358	24	Tu.	7 0	5 0		☌☿☾.	5 39	28 5	♐	25th day	10 59	6 43
359	25	W.	0	0	add	**Christmas Day.** ☌☌☾ 25	6 30	29 5	♑	6h 19m	11 47	7 27
360	26	Th.	0	1	1	St. Stephen.	sets.	7	♑	evening.	12 35a	8 8
361	27	F.	1	1	1	John the Evangelist. ☌♀☾.	6 44	1 7	♒		1 22	8 44
362	28	S.	1	2	2	Holy Innocents. ☽ apogee.	7 37	2 7	♒		2 9	9 25
363	29	**S.**	2	3	3	**1st Sunday after Christmas.**	8 29	3 7	♒		2 54	10 2
364	30	M.	2	4	3	☌☿☾.	9 34	4 7	♓		3 39	10 44
365	31	Tu.	2	4	3		10 18	5 7	♓		4 23	11 25

Astronomical Remarks.

Aries and Perseus on the meridian at 9 P.M. in the middle of the month.—Venus and Jupiter may be seen this month.—Mars is too near the sun to be seen with advantage.

Plantation Work for December.

Finish picking cotton; get out your crops of rice and prepare for market.—Commence ploughing, ditching, draining, and manuring as early as possible for the next year's crop.

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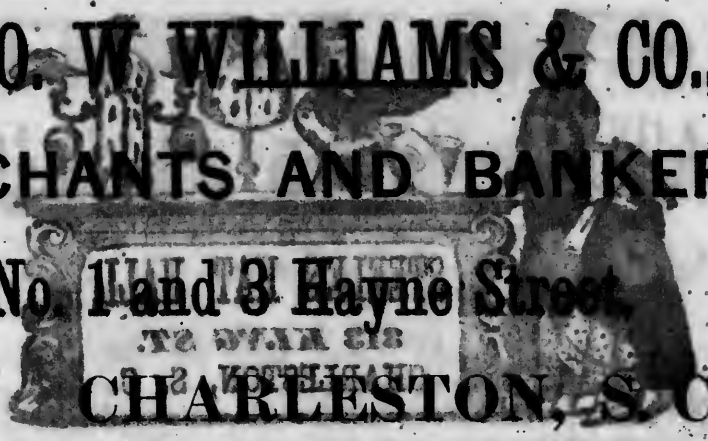
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LAW RELATIVE TO THE TAX AND REMOVAL OF COTTON.

1. There are no restrictions upon the removal of cotton between points in the same Collection District—as, for instance, between Beaufort and Charleston, Sumter and Georgetown, or Newberry and Columbia.

2. Cotton may be removed from one Collection District to another, as follows: Upon payment of the tax of *three cents per pound*, the Collector or Deputy Collector will affix to each bale or package the metallic stamp used to denote tax paid, and issue his permit for its removal. The permit must state the amount and payment of the tax, the time and place of payment, and the marks, numbers, and gross weight of the bales or packages, so that they may be identified. In the permit the Collector or Deputy must insert the letters and numbers of the stamps or tags. On presentation of this permit the cotton can be moved out of the limits of that Collection District.

3. When it is desired to remove the cotton *without payment of the tax*, it is necessary to apply to the Collector, and make an entry on a form prepared, and execute a bond for the payment of tax to the Collector of the District to which it is to be transported within ninety days of the date of the bond. Upon the execution of this bond, the Collector certifies the fact to the Assessor, who gives a permit for its removal.

4. The bond may be given by the consignee in the District to which the cotton is to be shipped, and transmitted to the Collector of the District in which the cotton is produced. The bond being properly filed, the Assessor will issue permits based upon the weight as reported by the owner. Any want of accuracy in such report of receipts is to be corrected by the certificate of the weigher at the point to which the cotton was shipped. This avoids the necessity of having the cotton weighed by a government officer prior to shipment.

5. Any attempt to remove cotton without compliance with the above conditions, exposes the parties to heavy fines and penalties.

SCHEDULE OF STAMP DUTIES,

On and after August 1, 1866.

	Stamp Duty
Accidental Injuries to persons, tickets or contracts for insurance against, are exempt from stamp duty.	
Affidavits in suits or legal proceedings are exempt from stamp duty.	
Agreement or Contract, other than domestic or inland bills of lading. For every sheet or piece of paper upon which either of the same shall be written	5 cts.
If more than one appraisement, agreement, or contract shall be written upon one sheet or piece of paper, 5 cents for each and every additional appraisement, agreement, or contract.	
Agreement, renewal of, same stamp as original instrument.	
Appraisement of value or damage, or for any other purpose, for each sheet of paper on which it is written	5 cts.
Assignment of a Lease, same stamp as original, and additional stamp upon the value or consideration of transfer, according to the rates of stamps on Deeds. (See *Conveyance.*)	
Assignment of Policy of Insurance, same stamp as original instrument. (See *Insurance.*)	
Assignment of Mortgage, same stamp as that required upon a mortgage for the amount remaining upaid. (See *Mortgage.*)	
Bank Check, draft, or order for any sum of money drawn upon any bank, banker, or trust company, at sight or on demand	2 cts.
When drawn upon any other person or persons, companies or corporations, for any sum exceeding $10, at sight or on demand	2 cts.
Bill of Exchange, (Inland) draft, or order for the payment of any sum of money not exceeding $100, otherwise than at sight or on demand, or any promissory note, or any memorandum, check, receipt, or other written or printed evidence of an amount of money to be paid on demand or at a time designated, for a sum not exceeding $100	5 cts.
And for every additional $100, or fractional part thereof in excess of $100	5 cts.
Bill of Exchange, (Foreign) or letter of credit drawn in, but payable out of, the United States, if drawn singly, same rates of duty as inland bills of exchange or promissory notes.	
If drawn in sets of three or more—for every bill of each set, where the sum made payable shall not exceed $100, or the equivalent thereof in any foreign currency	2 cts.
And for every additional $100, or fractional part thereof in excess of $100	2 cts.
[The acceptor or acceptors of any Bill of Exchange, or order for the payment of any sum of money drawn, or purporting to be drawn, in any foreign country, but payable in the United States, must, before paying or accepting the same, place thereupon a stamp indicating the duty.]	

	Stamp Duty.
Bill of Lading or receipt (other than charter party) for any goods, merchandize, or effects to be exported from a port or place in the United States to any foreign port or place	10 cts.
Bill of Lading to any port in British North America does not require a stamp.	
Bill of Lading, domestic or inland, requires no stamp.	
Bill of Sale by which any ship or vessel, or any part thereof, shall be conveyed to or vested in any other person or persons, when the consideration shall not exceed $500	50 cts.
Exceeding $500, and not exceeding $1,000	$1 00
Exceeding $1,000, for every additional amount of $500, or fractional part thereof	50 cts.
Bond for indemnifying any person for the payment of any sum of money, when the money ultimately recoverable thereupon is $1,000 or less	50 cts,
When in excess of $1,000 for each $1,000 or fraction	50 cts.
Bond for due execution or performance of duties of office	1 00
Bond, personal, for security for the payment of money. (See *Mortgage.*)	
Bond of any description, other than such as may be required in legal proceedings, or used in connection with mortgage deeds, and not otherwise charged in the Schedule	25 cts.
Bond or Note accompanying a mortgage requires no stamp if the mortgage is stamped. But one stamp is required on those papers, which may be placed on either, and must be the highest rate required upon either.	
Broker's Notes. (See *Contract.*)	
Certificate of Measurement or weight of animals, wood, coal, or hay, exempt from stamp duty.	
Certificates of Measurement of other articles	5 cts.
Certificates of Stock in any incorporated company	25 cts.
Certificates of Profits, or any certificate or memorandum showing an interest in the property or accumulations of any incorporated company, if for a sum not less than $10 and not exceeding 50	10 cts.
Exceeding $50 and not exceeding 1,000	25 cts.
Exceeding $1,000, for every additional 1,000, or fractional part thereof	25 cts.
Certificate. Any certificate of damage or otherwise, and all other certificates or documents issued by any port warden, marine surveyor, or other persons acting as such	25 cts.
Certificate of Deposit of any sum of money in any bank or trust company, or with any banker or person acting as such:	
If for a sum not exceeding $100	2 cts.
For a sum exceeding $100	5 cts.
Certificate of any other description than those specified	5 cts.
Charter, renewal of, same stamp as on original instrument.	
Charter Party for the charter of any ship, or vessel, or steamer, or any letter, memorandum, or other writing relating to the charter, or any renewal or transfer thereof, if the registered tonnage of such ship, or vessel, or steamer does not exceed 150 tons	1 00
Exceeding 150 tons, and not exceeding 300 tons	3 00
Exceeding 300 tons, and not exceeding 600 tons	5 00
Exceeding 600 tons	10 00
Check.—Bank check	2 cts.
Contract. Broker's note or memorandum of sale of any goods or merchandize, exchange, real estate, or property of any kind or description issued by brokers or persons acting as such, for each note or memorandum of sale	10 cts
Bill or memorandum of the sale or contract for the sale of stocks, bonds, gold or silver bullion, coin, promissory notes, or other securities made by brokers, banks, or bankers, either for the benefit of others or on their own account, for each hundred dollars, or fractional part thereof, of the amount of such sale or contract	1 ct.
Bill or memorandum of the sale or contract for the sale of stocks, bonds, gold or silver bullion, coin, promissory notes, or other securities, not his or their own property, made by any person, firm or company not paying a special tax as broker, bank, or banker, for each hundred dollars, or fractional part thereof, of the amount of such sale or contract	5 cts.
Contract. (See *Agreement.*)	
Contract, renewal of, same stamp as original instrument.	
Conveyance, deed, instrument, or writing, whereby any lands, tenements, or other realty sold shall be granted, assigned, transferred, or otherwise conveyed to or vested in the purchaser or purchasers, or any other person or persons, by his, her, or their direction, when the consideration or value does not exceed $500	50 cts.
When the consideration exceeds $500, and does not exceed 1,000	1 00
And for every additional $500, or fractional part thereof, in excess of 1,000	50 cts.
Conveyance—the acknowledgement of a deed, or proof by a witness, needs no stamp.	
" certificate of record of a deed does not require a stamp.	
Credit, Letter of. Same as Foreign Bills of Exchange.	
Custom-house Entry, (See *Entry.*)	
Custom-house Withdrawals. (See *Entry.*)	
Deed. (See *Conveyance—Trust Deed.*)	
Draft. Same as inland Bill of Exchange.	
Endorsement of any negotiable instrument	exempt.
Entry of any goods, wares, or merchandize at any custom-house, either for consumption or warehousing, not exceeding $100 in value	25 cts.
Exceeding $100, and not exceeding 500 in value	50 cts.
Exceeding $500 in value	1 00
Entry for the withdrawal of any goods or merchandize from bonded warehouse	50 cts.
Gauger's Returns	exempt.
Indorsement upon a stamped obligation in acknowledgment of its fulfilment	exempt.
Insurance, (Life.) Policy, when the amount insured shall not exceed $1,000	25 cts.
Exceeding $1,000, and not exceeding 5,000	50 cts.
Exceeding $5,000	1 00
Insurance, (Marine, Inland and Fire.) Policies or renewals of the same, if the premium does not exceed $10	10 cts.
Exceeding $10, and not exceeding 50	25 cts.

	Stamp Duty.
Exceeding $50	50 cts.
Assignment of policy of insurance same stamp as original instrument.	
Insurance, contracts, or tickets against accidental injuries to persons, do not require stamps.	
Lease, agreement, memorandum, or contract for the hire, use, or rent of any land, tenement, or portion thereof, where the rent or rental value is $300 per annum or less	50 cts.
Where the rent or rental valne exceeds the sum of $300 per annum, for each additional $200, or fractional part thereof in excess of 300	50 cts.
Assignment of lease, same stamp as original instrumeut, and the valuc or consideration of the transfer at the samo rate as a deed. (See *Conveyance.*)	
Legal Documents:	
Writ, or other original process by which any suit is commenced in any court of record, either of law or equity	50 cts.
Where the amount claimed in a writ, issued by a court not of record, is $100 or over	50 cts.
Upon every confession of judgment, or cognovit, for $100 or over (except in those cases where the tax for the writ of a commencement of suit has been paid)	50 cts.
Writs or other process on appeals from justice courts or other courts of inferior jurisdiction to a court of record	50 cts.
Warrant of distress, when the amount of rent claimed does not exceed $100	25 cts.
When the amount claimed exceeds $100	50 cts.
Letters of Administration. (See *Probate of Will.*)	
Letter of Credit. Same as Bill of Exchange, (Foreign.)	
Manifest for custom-house entry or clearance of the cargo of any ship, vessel or steamer, for a foreign port:	
If the registered tonnage of such ship, vessel, or steamer does not exceed 300 tons	1 00
Exceeding 300 tons, and not exceeding 600 tons	3 00
Exceeding 600 tons	5 00
[These provisions do not apply to vessels or steamboats plying between ports of the United States and British North America.]	
Measurers Returns	exempt.
Memorandum of Sale, or Broker's Note. (See *Contract.*)	
Mortgage of Lands, estate, or property, real or personal, heritable or movable whatsoever, a trust deed in the nature of a mortgage, or any personal bond given as security for the payment of any definite or certain sum of money exceeding $100, and not exceeding 500	50 cts.
Exceeding $500, and not exceeding 1,000	1 00
And for every additional $500, or fractional part thereof in excess of 1,000	50 cts.
Upon each assignment or transfer of a mortgage, a stamp duty equal to that upon a mortgage for the amount remaining unpaid.	
Order for payment of money, if the amount is $10 or over	2 cts.
Passage Ticket on any vessel from a port in the U. States to a foreign Port not exceeding $35	50 cts.
Exceeding $35, and not exceeding 50	1 00
And for every additional $50, or fractional part thereof in excess of 50	1 00
[Passage tickets to ports in British North America do not require a stamps.]	
Pawner's Checks	5 cts.
Power of Attorney, for the sale or transfer of any stock, bonds or scrip, or for the collection of any dividends or interest thereon	25 cts.
Power of Attorney or proxy for voting at any election for officers of any incorporated company or society, except religious charitable, or literary societies, or public cemeteries	10 cts.
Power of Attorney to receive or collect rent	25 cts.
Power of Attorney to sell and convey real estate, or to rent or lease the same	1 00
Power of Attorney for any other purpose	50 cts.
[Power of attorney or other papers relating to applications for bounties, arrearges of pay, or pensions, or receipts therefor, require no stamp. See, also, *Warrant of Attorney.*]	
Probate of Will, or letters of administration, where the estate and effects for or in respect of which such probate or letters of administration applied for shall be sworn or declared not to exceed the value of $2,000	1 00
Exceeding $2,000 for every additional 1,000 or fractional part thereof, in excess of 2,000	50 cts.
Promissory Note. (See *Bill of Exchange*, Inland.)	
Deposit note to mutual insurance companies, when policy is subject to duty	exempt.
Renewal of a note subject to same duty as an original note.	
Protest of note, bill of exchange, acceptance, check, or draft, or any marine protest	25 cts.
Quit Claim Deed to be stamped as a conveyance, except when given as a release of a mortgage by the mortgagee to the mortgagor, in which case it is exempt; but if it contains covenants *may* be subject as an agreement or contract.	
Receipt for satisfaction of any mortgage or judgment or decree of any court	exempt.
Receipts for the payment of any sum of money or debt due, or for a draft or other instrument given for the payment of money, exceeding $20, not being for satisfaction of any mortgage or judgment or decree of court. (See *Indorsement.*)	2 cts.
Receipts for the delivery of property	exempt.
Renewal of Agreement, contract or charter, by letter or otherwise, same stamp as original instrument.	
Sheriff's Return on writ, or other process	exempt.
Trust Deed, made to secure a debt, to be stamped as a mortgage.	
Warehouse Receipts	exempt.
Warrant of Attorney accompanying a bond or note requires no stamp if the bond or note is stamped.	
Weigher's Returns	exempt.
Writs and other process in any criminal or other suits commenced by the U. S. or any State	exempt.
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	Rate of Tax.
Apothecaries	$10 00
Architects and civil engineers	10 00
Assayers, annual assays not over $250,000 in value	100 00
Assayers, annual assays over $250,000 and not over 500,000	200 00
Assayers, annual assays over $500.000	500 00
Auctioneers, annual sales not over $10,000	10 00
Auctioneers, annual sales over $10,000	20 00
Banks and bankers, capital not over $50,000	100 00
Banks and bankers, capital over $50,000, $2 for each additional 1,000, in addition to the $100.	
Billiard rooms, for each table	10 00
Boats, barges, and flats, of capacity exceeding 25 tons and not exceeding 100 tons	5 00
Boats, barges, and flats, of capacity exceeding 100 tons	10 00
Bowling alleys, for each alley	10 00
Brewers, annual manufacture less than 500 barrels	50 00
Brewers, annual manufacture not less than 500 barrels	100 00
Brokers, cattle, annual sales not over $10,000	10 00
Brokers, commercial	20 00
Brokers, custom-house	10 00
Brokers, land-warrant	25 00
Brokers, pawn, capital not over $50,000	50 00
Brokers, pawn, capital over $50,000, $2 for every 1.000 in addition to the $50.	
Brokers, produce	10 00
Brokers, stock	50 00
Builders and contractors	10 00
Butchers	10 00
Butchers, who sell from carts exclusively	5 00
Circuses	100 00
Claim agents	10 00
Confectioners	10 00
Conveyancers	10 00
Dealers, retail	10 00
Dealers, wholesale, annual sales not over $50,000	50 00
Dealers, retail liquor	25 00
Dealers, wholesale liquor, annual sales not over $50,000	100 00
Dentists	10 00
Distillers of coal oil, burning fluid, and camphene	50 00
Distillers of spirituous liquor	100 00
Distillers of apples, grapes, or peaches, distilling 50 barrels, and less than 150 barrels per year	50 00
Distillers of apples, grapes, or peaches, distilling less than 50 barrels per year	20 00
Eating-houses	10 00
Exhibitions, not otherwise provided for	10 00
Express carriers and agents	10 00
Gift enterprises	150 00
Grinders of coffee and spices	100 00
Horse dealers	10 00
Hotels, yearly rental $200 or less	10 00
Hotels, yearly rental over $200, $5 for every 100, or fractional part thereof, in addition to the 10.	
Hotels, steamers and vessels carrying and boarding passengers	25 00
Insurance agents, domestic, annual receipts not exceeding $100	5 00
Insurance agents, domestic, annual receipts exceeding $100	10 00
Insurance agents, foreign	50 00
Intelligence office keepers	10 00
Jugglers	20 00
Lawyers	10 00
Livery stable keepers	10 00
Lottery ticket dealers	100 00
Manufacturers	10 00
Miners	10 00

	Rate of Tax.
Patent agents	10 00
Patent right dealers	10 00
Peddlers, 1st class	50 00
Peddlers, 2d class	25 00
Peddlers, 3d class	15 00
Peddlers, 4th class	10 00
Peddlers of fish	5 00
Peddlers of dry goods in original packages, or jewelry	50 00
Peddlers of distilled spirits, fermented liquors or wines	50 00
Photographers	10 00
Plumbers and gas fitters	10 00
Physicians and surgeons	10 00
Real estate agents	10 00
Rectifiers of any quantity not exceeding 500 barrels	25 00
Rectifiers of any quantity exceeding 500 barrels, $25 in addition to the 25 for every 500 barrels rectified.	
Stallions and jacks	10 00
Theatres, museums, and concert halls	100 00
Tabacconists	10 00

INCOME.

Income exceeding $600, and not exceeding 5,000	5 p. ct.
Income exceed'g $5,000, on excess over 5,000	10 "
Bank div. and additions to surplus funds	5 "
Bank profits, not divided or added to surplus.	5 "
Canal companies, dividends, interest on bonds, and additions to surplus funds	5 "
Insurance companies, dividends, and additions to surplus funds	5 "
Rail Road companies, dividends, interest on bonds, and additions to surplus funds	5 "
Salaries of United States officers. exceeding $600, and not exceeding 5,000, on excess above 600	5 "
Salaries of United States officers, exceeding $5,000, on excess over 5,000	10 "
Turnpike companies, dividends, interest on bonds, and additions to surplus funds	5 "

LEGACIES AND SUCCESSIONS.

Legacies, lineal issue or ancestor, brother or sister	1 "
Legacies, descendant of brother or sister	2 "
Legacies, uncle or aunt, or descendant of same	4 "
Legacies, great uncle or aunt, or descendants of same	5 "
Legacies, stranger in blood	6 "
Successions, lineal issue or ancestor	1 "
Successions, brother or sister, or descendant of same	2 "
Successions, uncle or aunt, or descendant of same	4 "
Succesions, great uncle or aunt, or descendant of same	5 "
Successions, stranger in blood	6 "

ARTICLES IN SCHEDULE A.

Billiard tables kept for use	$10 00
Carriages kept for use, for hire, or for passengers, and valued at exceeding $300 and not above 500, each, including harness used therewith	6 00
Carriages of like description, valued at above $500 each	10 00
Plate of gold, kept for use per ounce troy	50
Plate of silver, kept for use, per ounce of troy	5 cts
Watches, gold, composed wholly or in part of gold or gilt, kept for use, and not over $100 in value	1 00
Watches, gold, composed wholly or in part of gold or gilt, kept for use, and valued at above $100, each	2 00

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Barnwell,	James Patterson	2d Cir. at Barnwell on the 1st Monday in February, to sit *one week*	" 4th
Beaufort,	Charles E Bell	at Gillisonville, on the 2d do do do do	" 11th
Colleton,	Benjamin Stokes	at Walterboro', on the 3d do do do do	" 18th
Orangeburg,	V D V Jamison	at Orangeburg, on the 4th do do do do	" 25th
Chesterfield,	James G Craig	at Chesterfield, on the 1st Tuesday after 1st Monday in Feb., 2 days	" 5th
Marlboro',	S J Townsend	3d Cir. at Marlboro', on the 1st Friday after 1st Monday in Feb., 2 days	" 8th
Darlington,	F A Edwards	at Darlington, on 2d Monday in February, to sit 3 days	" 11th
Marion,	A L Evans	at Marion, on Friday after 2d Monday in February, to sit 4 days	" 15th
Horry,	B B Sessions	at Conwayboro' for Horry, on Thursday af. 3d Mon. in Feb., 3 days	" 21st
Georgetown,	Samuel T Atkinson	at Georgetown, for Georgetown, on 4th Monday in Feb., sit 3 days	" 25th
Williamsb'rg,	R C Logan	at Williamsburg, on the Friday af. 4th Monday in Feb., may sit 2 days	March 1st
Sumter,	W F B Haynesworth	at Clarendon, on the 1st of June	June 1st
Clarendon,	G A Huggins	4th Cir. at Sumter, on the 1st Monday in June, may sit 6 days	" 3d
Kershaw,	J D Dunlap	at Camden on the 2d Monday in June	" 10th
Richland,	B D De Saussure	at Columbia, on the 3d do do	" 17th
Lexington,	H A Meetze	at Lexington on the 4th do do	" 24th
Newberry,	Silas Johnson	at Newberry, on the 1st Monday after 4th Monday in June	July 1st
Edgefield,	Z W Carwile	5th Cir. at Edgefield on the 1st Monday in June	June 3d
Abbeville,	W H Parker	at Abbeville, on the 2d do do	" 10th
Laurens,	H L McGowan	at Laurens, on the 3d Monday in June	" 17th
Anderson,	W W Humphreys	At Anderson, on the 4th do do	" 24th
Pickens,	Robt A Thompson,	at Pickens, on the 1st Monday after the 4th Monday in June	July 1st
Greenville,	James P Moore,	at Greenville, on the 2d Monday after 4th Monday in June	" 8th
Spartanburg,	T Stobo Farrow	at Spartanburg, on the 1st Monday in June	June 3d
Union,	Wm Munroe	at Union, on the 2d do do	" 10th
York,	Walter B Metts	6th Cir. at York, on the 3d do do	" 17th
Lancaster,	K G Billings	at Lancaster, on the 4th do do	" 24th
Chester.	Giles J Patterson	at Chester, on the 1st Monday after the 4th Monday in June	July 1st
Fairfield,	L H Means.	at Winnsboro', on the 3d Monday after 4th Monday in June.	" 15th

The Chancellors, by consent of parties, may hear causes at Chambers, to hold Special Courts in any of the Districts, when deemed necessary.

COURTS OF LAW AND APPEALS IN SOUTH CAROLINA.

JUDGES OF THE COURT OF APPEALS.

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To hold their sessions twice at Columbia and twice at Charleston, at such periods as they may themselves fix, except that the said Court shall not hear appeals in Columbia from any Circuit whilst the Courts thereof are in session from which appeals would go to Columbia, nor in Charleston whilst the Circuit Courts are in session, from which appeals would go to Charleston, unless offered from Charleston.

COURT OF SESSIONS AND COMMON PLEAS.

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TIMES OF SITTING FOR EACH CIRCUIT.

Return day—Fifteen days before the sitting of each Court.

CHARLESTON CIRCUIT—I. W. HAYNE, *Attorney General.*

At Charleston, 2d Mon. in Jan., 6 weeks.
" 4th " April, 6 "
" 3d " June 6 "

At Georgetown, 3d Monday in April.
" 4th Mon. af. 3d Mon. in Oct.

SOUTHERN CIRCUIT—JOSIAH B. PERRY, *Solicitor.*

At Edgefield, 1st Mon. in March and Oct.
Barnwell, 3d " " "
Beaufort, at } 1st Mon. after 4th Mon.
Gillisonville, } in March and October.

Colleton, at } 2d Mon. after 4th Mon.
Walterboro', } in March and October.
Orangeburg, 3d Monday after 4th Monday in March and October.

MIDDLE CIRCUIT—SIMEON FAIR, *Solicitor.*

Richland, at } 1st Monday in March and
Columbia, } October.
Newberry, 3d " " "
Lexington, 4th " " "
Kershaw, at } 1st Monday af. 4th Mon-
Camden, } day in March and Oct.

At Sumter, 2d Monday after 4th Monday in March and October.
Clarendon, at } 3d Monday af. 4th Mon-
Manning, } day in October.

EASTERN CIRCUIT—H. McIVER, *Solicitor.*

At Chesterfield, 1st Mon. in March and Oct.
Marlboro', at } 2d Mon. " "
Bennettsville, }
Darlington, 3d " " "
Marion, 4th " " "

Williamsburg, at } 2d Mon. after 4th Mon.
Kingstree, } in March and October.
Horry, at } 3d Mon. after 4th Mon.
Conwayboro', } in March and October.

WESTERN CIRCUIT—J. P. REID, *Solicitor.*

At Abbeville, 1st Mon. in March and Oct.
Anderson, 2d " " "
Pickens, 3d " " "
Greenville, 4th " " "

At Spartanburg, 1st Mon. after 4th Mon. in March and October.
Laurens, 2d Monday after 4th Monday in March and October.

NORTHERN CIRCUIT—C. D. MELTON, *Solicitor.*

At Union, 1st Monday in March and Oct.
York, 2d " " "
Lancaster, 3d " " "

At Chester, 4th Monday in March and Oct.
Fairfield, at } 1st Mon. after 4th Mo
Winnsboro', } in March and October. n.

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The Quarterly Sessions of the several District Courts, to be continued so long as the dispatch of business may require, commence on the days following, to wit:

For the Districts of Anderson, Edgefield, Richland, Union, and Williamsburg, on the second Monday in January, April, July, and October.

For the Districts of Pickens, Barnwell, Newberry, York, and Horry, on the third Monday in January, April, July, and October.

For the Districts of Greenville, Beaufort, Sumter, Lancaster, and Marlboro', on the fourth Monday in January, April, July, and October.

For the Districts of Spartanburg, Colleton, Clarendon, Chester, and Chesterfield, on the first Monday after the fourth Monday in January, April, July, and October.

For the Districts of Laurens, Orangeburg, Lexington, Fairfield, and Darlington, on the second Monday after the fourth Monday in January, April, July, and October.

For the Districts of Abbeville, Kershaw, and Marion, on the third Monday after the fourth Monday in January, April, July, and October.

For the District of Georgetown, on the first Monday in January, April, July, and October.

For the District of Charleston, on the second Monday in January, April, July, and October.

For the District of Berkeley, on the fourth Monday in January, April, July, and October.

The first session for Beaufort District shall be held at the Court House, in the town of Beaufort; the next at Lawtonville, and so on alternately, as required by law.

Each District Judge will procure a Jury List and Jury Box, and will hold a Special Court for drawing of Juries as required by law; but, in each District, the first session for the ordinary transaction of business will be held on the day above appointed for that District which follows next after the first day of January next.

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Illinois	6	†Forfeit 3 times usury and int due
Indiana	6	Forfeit double the usury.
Iowa	7	‡Forfeit three times the usury.
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Louisiana	5	‡Contracts exacting usury void.
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Maine	6	Forfeit entire debt.
Massachusetts	6	Forfeit three times usury.
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Missouri	6	**Forfeit usury and interest.
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N. Hampshire	6	Forfeit three times usury.
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‡ " " " 12 "
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** " " 10 "
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March,	1.05	1.50@1,65	2.25@ 5.00	26.00@20.00	55.00@ 50.00
April,	1.05	1.75@1.80	5.00	19.00@21.00	70.00
May,	1.10	1.90@1.95	6.00	20.00@18.00	April 15 80.00
June,	1.10	1.95@2.00	6.50@ 7.50	18.00	" 20 100.00
July,	1.10	2.00	8.00@10.00	18.00	" 26 200.00
August,	1.10	2.20	14.00@15.00	20.00@22.00	" 27 300.00
September,	1.10	2.50	14.00	20.50@22,50	" 28 500.00
October,	1.12	2.50	13.00@12.50	27.00@25.00	" 29 800.00
November,	1.15	3.00	13.00@15.50	26.50@28.00	" 30 1000.00
December,	1.20	3.00	20.00@21.00	32.00@51.00	May 1 1200.00

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George Washington,	Feb. 22 1732	April 3, 1789	8 years,	Dec. 14, 1799	Virginia.
John Adams,	Oct. 30, 1735	March 4, 1797	4 "	July 4, 1826	Massachusetts.
Thomas Jefferson	April 2, 1743	" 4, 1801	8 "	July 4, 1826	Virginia.
James Madison	March 16, 1751	" 4, 1809	8 "	June 28, 1836	"
James Monroe	April 2, 1759	" 4, 1817	8 "	July 4, 1831	"
John Quincy Adams	July 11, 1767	" 4, 1825	4 "	Feb. 23, 1848	Massachusetts.
Andrew Jackson	March 15, 1767	" 4, 1829	8 "	June, 8, 1845	S. Carolina.
Martin Van Buren	Dec. 5, 1782	" 4, 1837	4 "	Dec. 27, 1862	New York.
William H. Harrison	Feb. 9, 1773	" 4, 1841	1 month	April 4, 1841	Virginia.
John Tyler	March 20, 1790	{Succed'd to Presidency}	3 yrs. 11 months	January 17, 1862	"
James K Polk	Nov. 2, 1795	March 4, 1845	4 years	June 15, 1849	N. Carolina.
Zachary Taylor	Nov. 24, 1790	" 4, 1849	1 year 4 months	July 9, 1850	Virginia.
Millard Fillmore	May 7, 1800	{Succed'd to Presidency}	2 yrs. 8 months.		New York.
Franklin Pierce	Nov. 23, 1804	March 4, 1853	4 years,		New Hamp.
James Buchanan	April 23, 1791	" 4, 1857	4 "		Pennsylvania.
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